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MORE WAR FRAUD SUITS TO BE FILED

BAN "FATTY" ARBUCKLE PICTURES IN CITY

VHITEWASHING OF MOVIE FALSTAFF DISAPPROVED HERE

rom a number of interviews to- regarding the return of Roscoe tty" Arbuckle to the screen the ion prevails that screen pic- s made, showing the rotund film t will not again be welcomed in city.

Women Opposed

everal members of the Wom- Civic Club were called on the e, and they were opposed to idea

rs J B Laughry said "Fatty uckle never did appeal to me. I shall be more particular now to see him on the screen The that he has been whitewashed not change my opinion of "

rs C E Lozier said, "I never l the Fatty Arbuckle pictures are a type that do not elevate, so far as I am concerned we are er off without them."

ev J H. Grant stated "Off I I am not interested in Ar- le's pictures or in any such pic- s There may be a disposition he part of the public to allow an to come back, and give him ance to make good He may ntitled to consideration to that t, but the type of pictures he made heretofore should be dis- ed with in my opinion I have given the matter serious ght, and am really not able to k offhand as I might later."

Mayor May Act

ayor Jones was in Cleveland afternoon, but those close to feel assured that he will not his approval to Arbuckle at present time, and would oppose ing his pictures in this com- ity

one of the theatre managers l be reached this afternoon but certain that none of the films r have been contracted for to own in this city.

ALTIMORE, Md, Dec 21 —It ubtful whether the future pic- of "Fatty" Arbuckle will be n in the leading motion pic- of Baltimore. One of the

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XMAS PROGRAMS TO CLOSE SCHOOLS

High School and Most of Grades to Have Special Exercises Tomorrow — School Reopens Jan. 2

Tomorrow will be the last day of school until after the holidays, school convenins again on Tuesday, January 2.

Most of the grade schools will have a Christmas program of their own in the afternoon At 1 45 the High school will hold their Christmas exercises at chapel in the auditorium

The dramatic club will present a play entitled "The Man Who Didn't Believe in Christmas" They have been rehearsing this play for some time, and it is expected to be the feature of the day In addition the high school orchestra will play Christmas music, and Christmas songs will be sung. The public is invited to be present.

FORMER ELYRIA STEEL LEADER DIES IN SOUTH

William Cairns, 67, of 15103 Lake avenue, Lakewood, a former resident of this city, died suddenly Tuesday night, at St. Petersburg, Fla., according to word received in this city Mr Cairns was south for his health and death was due to an attack of heart trouble while attending a ball given in honor of a number of Clevelanders

Mr Cairns was formerly superintendent of the Elyria Iron & Steel Co, and left here some fifteen years ago At the time of his death he was with the Detroit Pressed Steel Co, in an executive position

He is survived by his widow, a son, Alfred Cairns, Cleveland, and three daughters, Mrs. Irvin Morrison, Elyria and Mrs Seward Gamble and Miss Catherine Cairns, both of Cleveland. No funeral arrangements have yet been made.

INK WEALTHY MAN SUICIDED

HICAGO, Dec 21.—J E Stew- two years ago head of a busi- house in Rochester, N. Y., and h $100,000 was found dead in al hotel here early today. A of carbolic acid was on a ta- eside him The body was iden- l this afternoon Stewart had tered at the hotel November "J. C. Mather of St. Louis"

IGGER BUSINESS, LARGER BONUSES, SHOW PROSPERITY

EW YORK, Dec 21 —The sought after revival of rtade re at last

rge profits and big business n extended period strained ions and painful silence have d hands and are once more ling the smooth road of bet- mes.

osperity is within hailing dis-

ch is not an official announce- given out at a corporation uet but correct survey based a visit to the spinal column America s business — Wall t.

e basis for making such state- s is that thing which is so to the working man's heart— Christmas bonus To the man takes orders, as well as the official who gives them, the of 1922 means more money s pocket

canvass of Wall street bank- nd bond houses made today ed that an increase from 15 per cent over the bonuses out last year will be distrib- among employes this Christ- The reason for these increas- vidends is increased business. ery large brokerage house member of the New York stock nge have made preparations ot large proportions of the year's receipts among their employes

Numerous firms which last year were unable to give out gratuities of bonuses to their help on account of low returns report that from eight to twelve per cent of their profits will be shared with attaches of their houses

One banking institution announced that each employee is to receive a Christmas gift in the form of 25 per cent of his salary at the end of this year.

Other financial houses, such as the Corn Exchange Bank, Guaranty Trust, New York and Empire Trust Companies and Henry Clews & Company, are preparing to distribute bonuses rainging from six to 15 per cent

Brokerage firms reported that the last 12 months have seen a remarkable change in trade conditions and has so affected business as to give it the color it once radiated before the war

Clark, Childs & Company, W. J. Wellman Company, and Frederick Hatch & Company, Hornblower & Weeks & Company, Tylor, Bates Company, some of the largest houses on the exchange, saw large business which will be relayed to the pocketbooks of their employes

FIFTEEN GOVERNORS DISCUSS PROHIBITION WITH PRESIDENT

Photo, taken in front of the White House in Washington, shows, left to right: Governors Hartness, Vermont; Morgan, West Virginia; Ritchie, Maryland; McKelvie, Nebraska; Kilby, Alabama; Treasury Secretary Mellon; Trinkle, Virginia; President Harding; Vice President Coolidge; Davis, Idaho; Cox, Massachusetts; Allen, Kansas; Mc Rae, Indiana; Campbell, Arizona.

Fifteen of the state executives who have been attending the fourteenth annual governors' conference at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., recently visited the White House in Washington, D C., to discuss prohibition enforcement with President Harding. A number of the governors suggested that enforcement be left solely to the individual states.

WORLD MEETING ON ECONOMICS OKEHED BY BORAH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, proposed in the senate this afternoon the calling of a world economic and disarmament conference by President Harding with a view of restoring "sound financial and business conditions"

Provisions for such a conference was made by Borah in an amendment he offered to the navy appropriations bill soon after it was favorably reported by the senate naval affair committee.

Borah's amendment was an amplification of the provision for a new arms conference adopted by the house as a "rider" to the navy bill

Borah's amendment reads as follows:

"That the president is authorized and requested to invite such governments as he may deem necessary or expedient to send representatives to a conference which shall be charged with the duty of considering the economic problems now obtaining throughout the world with a view of arriving at such understandings or arrangements as may seem essential to the restoration of trade and to the establishment of sound financial and business conditions; and also to consider the subject of further limitation of armaments with a view reaching an understanding or agreement upon said matter both by land and by sea, and particularly relative to limiting the construction of all types and sizes of sub surface and surface craft, of

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ARREST OBERLIN MAN FOR ARSON IN HURON COUNTY

COLUMBUS, Dec. 21.—Everybody wants money about Chrsitmas time. Mike Nuen, formerly of Latchbord Township, Huron County; lately of near Oberlin, was broke. All he had was an insurance policy and two mortgages on a barn at his former home. State Fire Marshal Dykeman was notified Tuesday that Mike had attempted to realize $800 by burning his $1,000 barn He also made a try at the house out failed. Both were vacant as far as Mike was concerned, though a neighbor used the barn for storage

Assistant State Fire Marshal arrested Mike, who confessed and simply stated "he needed the money."

Nuen was taken before a justice of the peace, pleaded guilty and was bound over on $2,000.

The fire occurred at 9 30 p. m., December 2, Mike making a special pilgrimage from Oberlin to strike the match.

15 COLUMBUS EGG DEALERS ARE ARRESTED

COLUMBUS, Dec. 21.—Alleging violation of the cold storage law requiring placards bearing the words "wholesome cold storage food" to be placed on exhibition beside cold storage eggs offered for sale, warrants for the arrest of 15 Columbus grocers were sworn to by Inspector Lindsey, state department of agriculture. The grocers will be arraigned in municipal court today

KILLS FATHER IN A TUSSLE

CHICAGO, Dec 21 — Robert Resch, 20, walked into a police station early today and announced he had shot his father, Joseph, during a quarrel in which the latter beat him and tried to throw him out of their home

The police found the elder Resch dead with two bullets through his heart Furniture was overturned and the room in disorder

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT OF $70,000.00

Veteran Employe of Chicago Bank Declares Innocence; Officials Say He Confessed

CHICAGO, Dec 21.—Seth G. Anderson, 35, a department manager of the First National Bank, under arrest charged with having embezzled $70,000 of the bank's funds today declared he had not taken the money

Anderson and his wife had lived quietly in a modest home Mrs Anderson was astounded and insisted her husband is innocent.

"I have never owned an automobile," Anderson told the police.

Bank officials claim that Anderson, confronted with evidence of manipulation of his books, had admitted defalcation of $55,000

Anderson had been considered a model employee having been with the bank for 20 years, starting as an office boy

FIVE COUNTY PEN INMATES SEEK PAROLE

Three Lorain prisoners serving time in Ohio penitentiary have filed parole applications with the Division of Pardons and Paroles through the "pen" warden and chaplain The applications are to be heard on or after January 1st, 1923

A F Sheninger 40,999 Lorain, arrested on June 4 1921 on a forgery charge, Guy Brooks, 49,634 Lorain arrested February 12, 634 Lorain arrested in April, 1920 on a robbery charge, and John Kimmell, 49,655 Lorain, arrested February 12, 1921, for highway robbery are the three applicants

William Hunt 48,838, and Ernest Little, 50,055 said to be from Lorain county have also filed applications for leniency

SAN DIEGO, CAL., LEADS IN PER CAPITA SUICIDE

NEW YORK, Dec 21 —San Diego, Cal, had the highest suicide rate in 1921 and New York City had the smallest according to statistics compiled today by Dr Frederick L. Hoffman consulting statistician of the Prudential Insurance Company The San Diego suicide rate is 48 7 per 100,000, while that of New York is 17 9 per 100,000 San Francisco, Spokane, Los Angeles and Louisville stand next to San Diego in the order named.

SO. AMHERST MAN AND WIFE BURNED IN STORE BLAZE

SOUTH AMHERST, Dec 21 — Fire of an unknown origin destroyed a building belonging to and occupied by John Radich, late last night. Both John Radich and his wife Anna Radich, were severely burned, Mrs Radich receiving the worst injuries. They are now in the hospital at Amherst

The fire took place about midnight and was discovered by neighbors who aroused the couple in time to save their lives. There seems to be some mystery about the blaze A short time ago Mrs. Radich sued her husband for a divorce and he filed a reply charging her with misconduct.

The entire building with its contents was destroyed, causing a loss of about $2,500

THREE BOOZE BANDITS ARE UNDER ARREST

CHICAGO Dec 21 — Three liquor bandits were captured and three escaped following a pitched revolver battle with police who surprised them in a raid on a sacramental wine shop here today Twenty or more shots were exchanged

COUNTY AUTO CLUB MEMBERS HOLD BANQUET

The annual meeting of the Lorain County Automobile club, held in the basement of the Congregational church last evening, was well attended by auto owners from all over the county.

During the evening a buffet luncheon was served, and little Joyce McKinley gave an artistic dance. A good musical program was also provided

The speaking program was an interesting one Mayor Jones was called on and gave a talk as to what the automobile has meant to this city He called attention to the fact that automobile owners had demended the improvement of streets, that had cost the city much money; that traffic had been interfered with, and that drivers were more or less monopolizing the streets without regard to the safety of pedestrians, especially on the cross walks; that the police force was no longer adequate to handle the traffic on account of congestion in the down town streets, and that the street car industry had been nearly ruined by the advent of the auto, although the car company had to pay heavily to keep the streets in repair This burden, he believed, would eventually fall on the automobile owners. The talk was a little out of the ordinary for such a meeting but gave the auto owners something to think about

A number of heads of departments of the Cleveland Automobile Co. were present and were called upon for talks. H H McNamee, head of legal department maintained by the club, told of the activities of his department and offered its assistance if any of the local organization got in trouble while in Cleveland or Cuyahoga county J Hurstius, head of the touring department, told of the advantages and values of his department in assisting members in mapping out touts and also extended its service when required. H H Gorman, head of the Ohio Automobile association legal department, outlined new legislation that would be attempted and the opposition to certain perding legislation A C Faeh, of the membership department of the Cleveland club told of methods used in securing and holding the membership A letter of regret was read from J F Burke who was unable to be present on account of absence from the city

During the evening seven directors were chosen to fill terms that were expiring, the following being chosen Louis Hadaway, H A Schnitzer, new members, H M Andress J H Conrey G M Marsh, E U Hague and A M Nichols, reelected The directors will meet in January to elect officers for the coming year

COLUMBUS, Dec. 21 —The committee selected at the conference of city law officers here to consider suggestions and to draft a proposed state traffic code and uniform city traffic ordinance, with a view to curbing existing traffic evils, are scheduled to hold a meeting here early next month and appoint sub committees.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 21 —Three persons were injured here this afternoon when a street car, owing to slippery tracks, crashed into another About twenty passengers were in the two cars at the time.

HARNESS COMPANY TO FACE CHARGES IN LATEST CHARGE

STATE TO REST CASE IN MINE MASSACRES

Star Witnesses Have Linked First of Those to Be Tried For 22 Deaths

MARION, Ills., Dec. 21.—Hugh Willis, member of the state board of the United Mine Workers today was again declared to have joined the murder mob at the Herrin power house woods, the morning of June 22, a few minutes before the 14 captives from the Lester strip mine were shot down

A. W. Steele, foreman of the power house, testified in the trial of five miners for murder as to the arrival of Willis in an automobile just before the victims were taken into the woods. Willis was setting with counsel for the defense only a few feet from Steele but Steele was unable to identify him as being in the courtroom at first. Later he pointed him out

Say He Joined Mob

Several witnesses have testified to Willis' arrival and his joining the mob at the power house Willis' connection is being shown as part of the state's charge of conspiracy to murder in the present case.

Testimony of local hardware dealers who had their stocks cleared out of guns and ammunition the day before the murders is also put in as part of the conspiracy proof

Ward Travillon, a rural mail carrier, told of seeing Otis Clark at his garage He declared Clark showed empty shells and said "these are the shells they used." Clark, he declared, said he got the shells out of Mc's pocket, ' meaning

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Escaped Convict Returns To Pen

NEWARK, O, Dec 21 —The police here arrested Brady Whyde at the home of his sister here yesterday and held him for the Ohio penitentiary officers, who came here today for him Whyde, serving for robbery, escaped from the penitentiary prisoners working at the O S U stadium last August 15

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Civil and criminal suits against the United States Harness Company of Ransom, W. Va, are being prepared by the department of justice and will be filed in a short time, it was stated today by Colonel Henry T Anderson, special assistant to the attorney general, before the house judiciary committee investigation for many months, said Colonel Anderson, and decision has been reached to proceed He declined to go into details as to the results of the investigation through fear of embarrassing the government in its suits.

This contract of sale of surplus army harness has been one if the most criticised of all made by the war department. It involved a very large sum of money, and a number of prominent leather dealers in the U S

Other Suits Planned

Colonel Anderson also stated government suits would be entered within thirty days against the Bridgeport Brass Company of Bridgeport, Conn., unless the company makes a satisfactory settlement before that time

"We have a very good case here," said Anderson "I cannot say whether the suits will be criminal or civil. It depends in a measure on a satisfactory settlement."

He stated the government was proceeding satistactorily with the Briggs and Turavis surplus steel sales contract. This Chicago firm bought steel stocks from the war department. It handled about 100,000 tons but claimed it should have been given under its contract about 200,000 tons and claims damages.

"This company has paid the gov-

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FIREMEN AND POLICE TO GET DELAYED PAY

A notice has been posted in the police station that the police will be paid tomorrow, and the firemen will be paid at the same time. The city council has arranged to borrow $15,000 with which to pay the city's employees so that they can have money for Christmas.

In the notice to the police Chief Stankard issues a warning that there will probably not be another pay until the 1st or possibly the 15th of February, and advises the men to remember that fact.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY PEOPLE IMPLICATED IN WHISKEY ARRESTS

WASHINGTON Dec 21—Swooping down on a fashionable apartment in P street here today, police and government agents arrested two young men whom they accuse of being bootleggers to a considerable section of Washington's social and official set

Twenty-five gallons of alcohol which was being manufactured into synthetic gin in the apartment, and an "address book" containing names of some members of congress and prominent Washintonians were among the seizures

The men arrested were booked at police headquarters as Raymond Gray, 28, a broker, and Ronal Hendley Irving, 28, an engineer. Within a short time after their arrest a number of Washington attorneys were endeavoring to secure their release

The police declined to make public the names on the "client list," but among them the police declared were a number of congressmen, officials of the government, and socially prominent persons.

Occupants of the apartment house aroused by the arrests assisted the government agents to carry out the numerous agents to the apartment. When the arrests were made 150 bottles had been filled with the gin, and properly labelled

Other bottles were in process of being filled

One of the government agents is said to have appeared at the apartment house in the guise of a customer He later reported that while there a Washington millionaire, whose name he declined to divulge, appeared accompanied by two richly dressed young women.

One of the women took a look at the government agent, and recognizing him said

"My God, this can't be right, this is one of the men who raided the Little Club," referring to a raid on a fashionable club here a few nights ago.

Confusion followed, and then the police and government agents appeared.

DIVERS SEARCH RIVER BOTTOM FOR 5 BODIES

MER ROUGE, La., Dec. 21.—Diving operations which began Wednesday in Lake La Fourche and continued today are expected to be the solution within the next 24 hours of the mysterious kidnapping of five Mer Rouge citizens and the disappearance of Walt Daniels and Thomas Richards on August 24, it was said here today.

FALLS INTO HOT WATER

COLUMBUS, Dec. 21.—Falling into a bucket filled with hot water today, four year old Pete Alonso was probably fatally scalded.

THE STORY OF THE DARDANELLES

By O. P. AUSTIN
Statistician, The National City Bank of New York

The problem of the Dardanelles and Bosporus has been an issue among the nations of the world since before the discovery of America. In 1453, thirty-nine years before Columbus made his first voyage across the Atlantic, the Turks, who had long held the eastern shores of the Dardanelles and Bosporus, obtained control of their western frontage by the capture of Constantinople and adjacent areas and thus asserted the right to control the navigation of that waterway in view of the fact that its entire length from the Black Sea to the Mediterranean fell within Turkish territory. When a few years later they extended their territorial control in Europe to include the entire area fronting upon the Black Sea, the Turks calmly informed all commercial and diplomatic inquirers that the Black Sea was a "chaste and pure virgin" inaccessible to commercial, military or diplomatic adventurers of foreign countries. This view was then accepted by the European nations without serious protest, even though it included control of a waterway connecting the two greatest seas of the world, the Mediterranean and the Black, and placed under the absolute control of a non-commercial nation the navigation, commerce and finance of an inland body of water representing a drainage area of 1,000,000 square miles of habitable lands, with enormous industrial and commercial possibilities.

View of the Golden Horn Looking Toward the Bosporus.

Kemal Pasha, Leader of the Turk Nationalists, Whose Repudiation of Treaty of Sevres Makes Conference at Lausanne Necessary

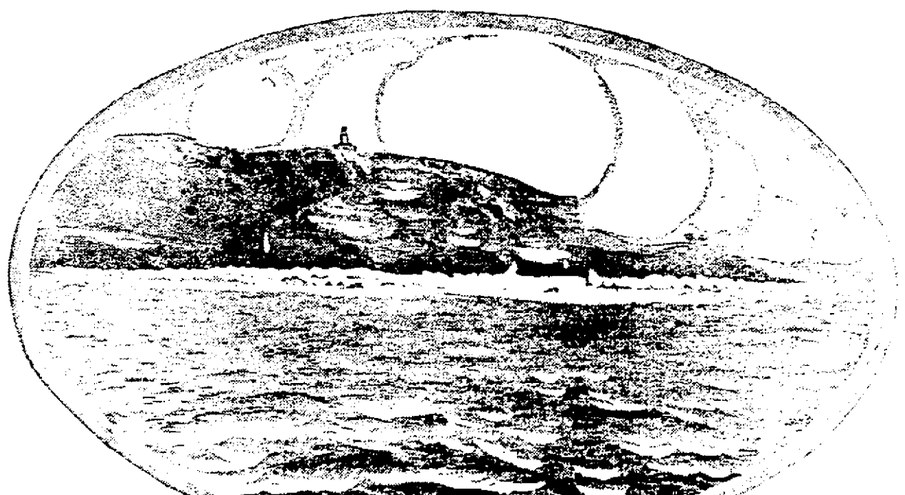
Later, when parts of the area fronting upon this vast body of water, the Black Sea, which of itself is double the size of all of the Great Lakes of the United States in combination, began to pass from Turkish hands to that of other nations, the protests against the control commercially, as well as otherwise, of that area itself, and of the only waterway by which it could be connected with the oceans, grew more numerous and especially so as the comparatively level land area through which the Straits passed offered the easiest route of access between the European countries and the Asiatic Continent, of which Europe is a mere peninsula.

Against Single Nation Control

So it has happened that during the 469 years since Turkey asserted her claim of the right to control the navigation of the Straits of the Bosporus and Dardanelles, of which both frontages still lie entirely within her territory, there has been a growing desire that the products and commerce of the Black Sea area of 1,000,000 square miles, now including the homes of 100,000,000 people and an annual commerce of over $1,000,000,000, should not be controlled by any one nation. The passageways between the other great inland seas of the world and the oceans over which commerce may pass freely have one by one been held as inviolable by the control of any one nation. The right of vessels of commerce or military service to enter the Baltic has not been questioned for many years; the entrance to the Mediterranean is open to the commerce and military vessels of all nations; the Suez Canal through which the Mediterranean is connected with the Indian Ocean is, by the Suez Canal Convention of 1888, "to be open in time of war as in time of peace to merchantmen or war vessels of all nations," and this same rule applies with slight modification to the Panama Canal. The Straits of Magellan, which connect the waters of the Atlantic and Pacific, at the southern end of South America although passing through the territory of Argentina and Chile were by the treaty of Buenos Aires in 1881 "neutralized forever and free navigation granted to the flags of all nations," while freedom of passage in the Strait of Malacca, connecting the China Sea with the Indian Ocean, does not seem to have been called in question. Even certain great navigable rivers which serve as carriers of commerce for several nations whose territory they touch have been subjected to international control as to freedom of navigation through the services of commissions appointed by the respective states through which they flow or which they touch. Among the rivers on which navigation is so controlled are the Danube, the Rhine, and the Scheldt.

220 Miles of Waterway

The "Straits of the Dardanelles and Bosporus," as is well known, include that comparatively narrow strait known as the "Dardanelles," 42 miles in length and from 1 to 5 miles in width, extending in a northeasterly direction from that arm of the Mediterranean known as the Aegean Sea to the "Sea of Marmora" about 100 miles in length, which in turn is connected with the Black Sea by the narrow waterway known as the "Bosporus," 18 miles in length and from one-half mile to 1½ miles in width. The entire navigable length of this complete waterway between the Mediterranean and the Black Sea, geographically known as the "Straits of the Dardanelles and Bosporus" is thus about 220 miles, and its width ranges from one-half mile to 1½ miles in the Bosporus and from 1 to 5 miles in the Dardanelles, while the width in the Sea of Marmora is about 45 miles. The eastern frontage of this entire waterway had long been held by the Turks and when in 1453 they obtained control of its western frontage through the capture of Constantinople and adjacent territory they assumed the right to reserve for their own ships of commerce or of the military service the exclusive privilege of navigation upon its waters over the entire length from the Mediterranean to the Black Sea, or to at least establish rules under which the vessels of other nations might utilize its waters, and also those of the Black Sea, of which they were the only outlet and which subsequently became a "Turkish lake" through the occupancy of its entire frontage by the Turkish Government.



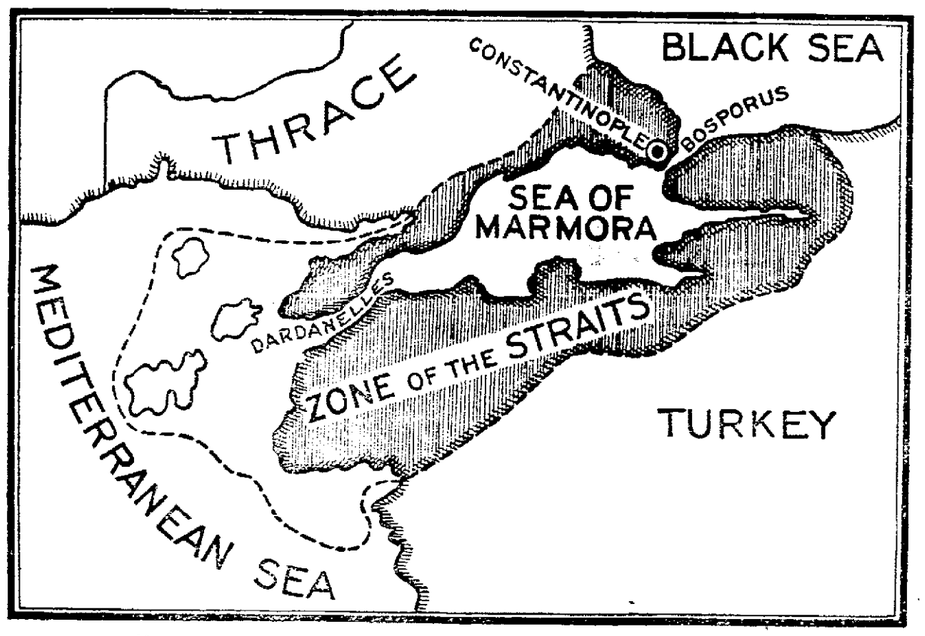
The Dardanelles, Showing One of the Forts Constructed For Its Protection

Protests Against Turkish Control

The continuous control by Turkey of this passage between the Mediterranean and the Black Sea has not been acceded to without protests of European and other countries. Russia, for example, after obtaining a large frontage on the northern shore of the Black Sea became especially anxious that the sea and the straits which connected it with the Mediterranean should be thrown open to her commercial as well as military vessels or at least that she have special privileges for the movement of her great supplies of foodstuffs, mineral oils, and forest products to the waters of the Mediterranean by which they could be moved to the markets of southeastern Europe. Her wheat, meats, mineral oil, lumber, flax and other natural products were wanted by all of Europe and she wanted European manufactures in exchange. But as her territorial and commercial extension was creating commercial and political jealousies among certain of the European countries it was easy for them to form secret treaties with Turkey which would encourage her in insisting upon her claim to the control of the Black Sea and its exit, especially as the Turks were adepts in the art of diplomacy in maintaining their claim.

Trade Privilege Treaties

It should not be assumed, however, from all this that all of the commerce of the Black Sea or of that passing through the Straits was actually carried by the Turks, a non-commercial people. The necessary trade and trade requirements of the countries fronting upon that body of water had grown so large that it demanded facilities of transportation and finance which the Turks could not themselves supply. This demand came especially from the several countries having large frontages on the Black Sea, notably Russia, Bulgaria, Roumania, and the sections of Turkey still occupying the southern frontage of that area, and later came also from the great commercial countries of western Europe which required the natural products of the Black Sea area. As a result of this growing demand for access to the products of this great fertile area, the Turkish Government during the last century granted through special treaties with the various countries the privilege of maintaining commercial fleets, consuls and other paraphernalia of trade, finance and banking in the Black Sea and Straits, and these privileges were later extended to commercial countries having no frontage on that sea but interested in the trade of that area. Approximately one-half of the quantity of merchandise exported from Russia in 1913 passed through the Black Sea and this was especially true of foodstuffs and mineral oils, and the very power possessed by Turkey to control this trade, especially in case of European or world wars, offered enormous possibilities in the formation of secret or open diplomatic relations with the country possessing such power, and added to the uneasiness of other European powers as to the effect of these secret treaties upon international relations. The possible importance of the control of large quantities of foodstuffs and raw materials in case of war by the action or attitude of a single power intensified the desire of not only European but certain non-European countries for a termination of the conditions under which access to this important area was retained in the hands of one—and especially a non-commercial, power, for although more than one-half of the Black Sea merchandise was carried under foreign flags it was still within the power of a single country, Turkey, to terminate the privileges under which such service by the shipping of the various nations was being performed. The area to which access might at any moment be suspended aggregated, as above indicated, 1,000,000 square miles, its population 100,000,000 and its normal trade prior to the recent war more than a billion dollars a year, and of course accompanied by the necessary transportation, industrial and banking equipments, largely controlled by financial interests outside the area in question.



Map Showing the Straits of the Dardanelles and Bosporus and the International Zone, Established by the Treaty of Sevres.

Treaty of Sevres

This international desire to terminate an unusual and abnormal control of world commerce by a non-commercial power, while it could not be successfully asserted by a single country, found opportunity for a joint expression upon that subject by several great commercial nations of the world when the League of Nations at the close of the World War met at the city of Sevres, France, to frame a peace treaty with Turkey. The principal participants in that conference included on the one hand Great Britain, France, Italy, Spain and certain other of the members of the League of Nations, and on the other hand, the Imperial Ottoman Government (the Government of the Sultan) represented by certain officials appointed for that service and designated by the treaty itself as "Plenipotentiaries." The result of that conference of the victorious allies on the one hand, and the form of treaty which they handed to the Turkish representatives on the other, was the famous "Treaty of Sevres," laid before the representatives of the Turkish Government on August 10, 1920, and signed under protest by them. Its chief feature as relates to the subjects above discussed was as follows:

Article 37: The navigation of the Straits, including the Dardanelles, the Sea of Marmora and Bosporus, shall in future be open, both in peace and war, to every vessel of commerce or of war and to military and commercial aircraft, without distinction of flag. These waters shall not be subject to blockade, nor shall any belligerent right be exercised nor any act of hostility be committed within them, unless in pursuance of a decision of the Council of the League of Nations.

Article 38: The Turkish Government recognizes that it is necessary to take further measures to ensure the freedom of navigation provided for in Article 37, and accordingly delegates, so far as it is concerned, to a Commission to be called the "Commission of the Straits," the control of the waters specified in Article 39.

Article 39: The authority of the Commission will extend to all the waters between the Mediterranean mouth of the Dardanelles and the Black Sea mouth of the Bosporus, and to the waters within three miles of each of these mouths.

Article 40: The Commission shall be composed of representatives appointed respectively by the United States of America (if and when that Government is willing to participate), the British Empire, France, Italy, Japan, Russia (if and when Russia becomes a member of the League of Nations), Greece, Roumania, and Bulgaria and Turkey (if and when the two latter States become members of the League of Nations).

The treaty further outlined the area on either side of the great waterway in question over which this commission should have control in order to insure perfect freedom of commerce and including "every vessel of commerce or of war without distinction of flag," and the area thus outlined has been officially shown on maps of that area under the title of "Zone of the Straits." Under this treaty the Encyclopedia Britannica in its 1922 edition says:

"The Straits (Dardanelles and Bosporus) were thrown open to all navigation in peace or war without distinction of flag; blockade of these waters was prohibited; an 'International Commission of the Straits' was established to control the waterway, and a demilitarized 'Zone of the Straits' created to embrace adjoining coastal territory."

Beautiful Lausanne Where Conference to Decide Question of Dardanelles Takes Place

Treaty Not Officially Ratified

This provision of the Sevres Treaty declaring specifically that "navigation of the Straits shall in future be open both in peace and war to every vessel of commerce or of war" was looked upon as likely to terminate the 467 years of Turkish control of that great waterway, and the provisions of the treaty for the freedom of commerce of the Straits have since been put into operation by the Commission appointed for that purpose. Recent developments, however, have made it apparent that the question as to the acceptance by the Turks of the Sevres Treaty is still an open one. The Government of the Sultan at Constantinople failed to ratify the acts of its Plenipotentiaries whose signatures were attached to the Treaty of Sevres, and the Statesman's Year-Book, an accepted authority, states in its 1922 edition that "The Treaty of Sevres although signed August 10, 1920, is not yet ratified by any of the parties."

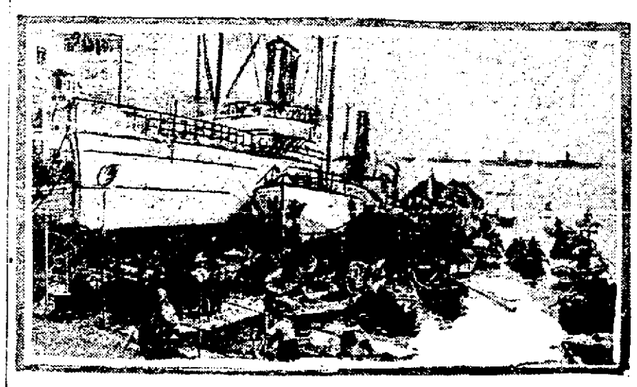
Turkish Nationalist Government

The great uncertainty, however, which now prevails as to the permanence or otherwise of the freedom of commerce in the Straits as provided by the Treaty of Sevres is found in the prospective attitude of the political organization established in 1920 at Angora, in Asia Minor, about 75 miles east of Constantinople, under the title of the "Turkish Nationalist Government," representing a political faction of Turkey formerly known as the "Young Turks" party. Of this organization a writer in Current History of April, 1922, says, "The power of the state is vested in the hands of the National Assembly, the members of which are direct representatives of the people." It operates under the leadership of Mustapha Kemal Pasha, President of the Assembly, whose successes in the field against the Greeks were followed by a refusal on the part of the Angora Government to in any way recognize the demands of the Treaty of Sevres, as the conference at Sevres was not participated in by official representatives of the Kemalist or "Young Turk" Government. Dispatches from Angora, dated November 4th, state that the Assembly has adopted resolutions purporting to abolish the Sultanate and proclaiming a Republic of the Turkish State to include all Turkish territory; also declaring void all treaties of the Constantinople Administration made since March 16, 1920, a date preceding that of the Treaty of Sevres. Other dispatches from Angora state that the Government has proclaimed the death penalty against the Turkish officials who signed the Treaty of Sevres.

While Mustapha Kemal, the President of the Angora Assembly, has been unofficially reported on several occasions as expressing a willingness to assent to the termination of Turkish control of the commerce of the Straits, the entire question of the attitude of the Angora Government, which now claims to represent all of Turkey, upon this subject is one of the important factors of the approaching conference to be held at Lausanne, Switzerland, and which is to be attended by the Turkish Nationalist Foreign Minister, Ismet Pasha, and a staff of experts. Reports from Constantinople indicate that the Sultan, who does not accept the Angora decree for his abdication, has decided not to send delegates to the Lausanne conference. Recent dispatches also indicated that the Russian Soviet Government has been invited by the Allies to send delegates to Lausanne to participate in the discussion relative to the freedom of navigation in the Straits. Nothing is stated as to whether the recently organized governments on the northern frontage of the Black Sea including Ukraine, Taurida, Kuban, Georgia and the Don Republic have been invited to attend, but as the Statesman's Year Book of 1922 describes them as having close relations with the Government of Russia it is presumed that the Russian delegates at Lausanne will present their views on the question of freedom of commerce both on the Black Sea and in the Straits which connect it with the Mediterranean and the great oceans of the world.

A Remarkable Vista Over the Minarets of Stamboul Showing the Bosporus and the Domes of Pera Beyond

Thus, the entire question of the permanence of the freedom of commerce in the Straits (which still lie in entirety within Turkish territory) is to be further considered by the Lausanne Conference, though meantime the allied forces continue in control of the "Zone of the Straits" despite the demands of the Angora Government for control of the area in question.



Harbor of Constantinople

SENATOR NORRIS AGAIN ANNOUNCES HE WILL RETIRE

Senator George W. Norris.

Senator George W. Norris, Republican, of Nebraska, and one of the progressive leaders of the senate, has repeated his announcement made a few months ago to the effect that he would retire from active political life in 1925, at the end of his present term. His retirement will be partly due to ill health.

FRENCH RING BODY SUMMONS SIKI TO TELL OF FRAMEUP

Paul Rousseau.

Paul Rousseau, president of the French boxing federation and sporting editor fo the "Temps," Paris newspaper,is taking the leading part in the efforts to get to the bottom of the mess caused by the declaration o Battling Siki that his fight with Georges Carpentier was supposed to have been a frame-up. Rousseau has ordered Siki to appear before the federation to state his charges again.

GOOSE HANGS HIGH AT COL. AMIDON'S CHRISTMAS FEAST

Col. Sam Amidon.

Twenty years ago Col. Sam Amidon of Wichita, Kansas, gave a Christmas dinner to 250 children. He has given a big Christmas dinner every year since and this year he will feed 2,000 persons Christmas noon and then take them to a vaudeville show. The colonel is a prominent attorney and Democratic national committeeman from Kansas.

Rear Admiral Newton A. McCully.

Rear Admiral Newton A. McCully, formerly in command of the control force of the U. S. Atlantic fleet, has been assigned to head the navy bureau of inspection and survey in Washington.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Augusta Krause to Emerick Kostecky, lot 62, Stang's ad to Lorain, $1,920.

Robert Friedman to Emory Fillgrove, lot 10, block 8, Chamberlain trustees ad to Lorain, $1,250.

Hugh B. Eastman to Carl Youngquist, lots 72-73 Federal Home ad to Lorain, $2,000.

John Raduletz to Fern Knoll, lots 26-27, Central division, Sheffield, $1,000.

James N. Wheeler to S. G. Shaw, trustee, lots 92, 93, 94 Lindale allotment, Carlisle, $10.

The Union Trust Co. to William Cunningham, pt of Section 18, Avon Lake, $10.

The Fairview Building & Land Co. to N. Gregory, pt of lot 17, west of river, Elyria, $8,000.

Henry and Florence Wick to The Old Ladies Home Association, lot on West avenue, Elyria, $1,000 and other valuable consideration.

Henry F. Albers to Frank Meilander, 14 acres, Avon, $10.

Julia Wilker to Chas. Whiton, lot 5, block 5, Wadsworth, Tripp & Wolf ad to Wellington, $1,000.

Percie G. Wells to Helen Myers, lot 236-215, block 6, Cleveland Beach, Sheffield Lake, $500.

Peter Klamut to Anton Niezik, lot 17, Mussey allotment, Elyria $1,000.

Mathilda Hauter to C. E. Van-Deusen, pt of lots 46-47 Daniels & Glitsch ad to Lorain, $500.

Marie V. Smith to Alice Kelley, lot 192, Avon Beach allotment, Sheffield Lake, $500.

John Ezowxyk to John Krajec, lot 6, Williams & Woods ad to Lorain, $500.

Elizabeth King to D. H. Buhl, lot 24 West Erie Park, Lorain, $1,450.

The Guardian Savings & Trust Co. to Warren Austin, lot 58, block C, Border Cities, Sheffield Lake, $500.

Union Trust Co., to Wm. M. Cunningham, two parcels in Section 6, Avon Lake, $10.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Dec. 20.—Dr. Adolph Engleheart, "pastor" of the Church of the Divine Science, today ridiculed the charges brought by his young wife in her suit for divorce. Mrs. Minnie Colwell Engleheart, now 19, but who married the "pastor" when she was 16, named in her bill of particulars 122 women.

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WO OHIO BOYS KILLED WHILE COASTING

MANSFIELD, Dec. 21.—The st coasting accident of the sea- n occurred last evening when enn Bricker, 13 and Orlo Sams, cousins, collided with an auto- bile driven by Charles Witchey. e Bricker boy's skull was fractured and he died immediately. The Sams boy died soon after being taken to the General hospital. Witchey saw the boys coming on two sleds, hitched tandem, and pulled over to the side of the street, bringing his car to a stop but the boys were unable to avert the collision.

PITTSFIELD

By Mrs. Reed Ives

PITTSFIELD, Dec. 21.—A very pretty wedding took place on Thursday, Dec. 14 at the M. E. Parsonage, when Rev. E G Evans performed the ceremony which united in Marriage, two of our most prominent young people, Miss Mildred Sheffield and Mr Theodore Breyley. We extend heartiest congratulations to them.

Word has been received from Mr and Mrs Walter Bullock and family who left here about November 1st, for a visit to their former homes in England that they arrived there safely and without sickness and were enjoying their visit there.

Our Sunday school will have their Christmas tree and exercises in the church as usual on Sunday evening. A fine program is being arranged and we hope Santa will have no trouble in locating us.

Work on the church has been postponed indefinitely on account of our blanket of snow and frosty air.

Quite a number of our townspeople attended the Cristmas carol song service given by the United church of Oberlin, at Finney chapel on Sunday evening. To say it was thoroughly enjoyed is speaking lightly of it.

The death of Mr John Clark on Dednesday morning takes away one more of our oldest and highly respected residents. Mr Clark was 83 years of age and was born, and has always lived upon the farm where he died. He had the misfortune about 20 years ago to have his leg broken and ever since had to get about with crutches. His health began to fail him in the summer, but was able to get about until about four weeks before his death. His last illness was of one week's duration, in which time he suffered very much. Funeral services conducted by Rev. Evans in the M. E. church on Friday p. m. Burial in East cemetery.

The many friends of Mr C C. Reynolds, for a number of years a resident of Pittsfield, now of Oberlin will be glad to know of his speedy recovery from a recent operation on his hip at the Mayo hospital in Minnesota. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds returned home last Wednesday and with his crutches is now able to get about the house and is feeling much improved in health.

Mr and Mrs. Walter Green attended the funeral of Mrs. Green's uncle Mr. Joseph Biggs in Oberlin on Sunday. Mr. Biggs, in his youth, lived in Pittsfield and had many friends here. His body was brought here and placed in the vault in East cemetery. Burial to take place later.

The latest word from Mr. Jim Hollingsworth former resident here and now in Texas, is that he is sucering from an abcess in the side. Although confined to the house he is not confined to his bed all of the time. His many friends here hope for a speedy recovery.

Roy Brasee, who had the misfortune to have his leg broken several weeks ago, is now able to get about on crutches.

Orville Cowle of Elyria was a week end guest of his sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs Fred Pitts.

Mrs O B Bomer and son Bruce were week end guests of relatives in Lorain.

Mrs E Campbell, left on Thursday evening to spend the winter in Florida. Her niece Miss Bertha Norris accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs Schott and son of Lorain were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs C H. Whitney and family.

AVERS U. S. GAINS FOREIGN TRADE

Dr. Julius Klein.

American foreign trade is making inroads in Europe in the face of recovering competition, Dr. Julius Klein, director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, declares in his annual report. He declares American business has just passed through the most crucial period in history.

ESCAPES FROM COURT WHILE BEING TRIED

CLEVELAND, Dec. 21.—Irving Kahldone, 19, was being sought by city and county officials today, following his unceremonious manner of taking leave of a jury in Judge Bernon's court, where he was on trial for utterin g a check to defraud.

When court reassembled yesterday afternoon, the prisoner was missing. Counsel and mother of the boy said they did not know where he was, but shortly afterwards a note addressed to his mother, saying that if both hte bank and police were so anxious to send him to prison, he would give them the trouble of finding him first."

Judge Bernon ordered his bail forfeited, and the argument to proceed Kahldone was found guilty, probably the first time here that a verdict in a criminal case has been returned in the absence of the defendant.

DUFFY REFUSES DONAHEY OFFER

COLUMBUS, Dec. 21.—Chairman T. J Duffy, state industrial commission, has declined to accept Governor-elect Donahey's offer to appoint him state director of industrial relations.

"I feel that I can best serve the state by remaining in my present position and using the experience I have acquired during the past 11 years to defend the workmens compensation law and help in the work of perfecting its provisions, as well as its administration," Chairman Duffy said.

"It is very evident that the influences that have antagonized the workmens compensation law since its inception have not abandoned the fight. For the last 18 months, they have been preparing to make another assault upon the law in the next session of the general assembly," declared Duffy.

DEFIANCE, Dec. 21.—Serious burns received by Mrs. Ralph Hammon, who lives on a farm six miles northeast of Defiance, when a kerosene can exploded as she was attempting to build a fire, will not prove fatal, according to physicians. Her life was probably saved when her husband, seeing her run from the house with her dress on fire, threw her down and rolled her in the snow to put out the flames. Nearly all the hair was burned from h... burned t... neck to the wa...

LAST MINUTE SUGGESTIONS FOR XMAS

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Night Shirts and Pajamas .... $1.50 to $6.00
Wool—silk and wool hose .... 60c to $1.50
Cotton and Silk Hose .... 25c to $1.50
Handkerchiefs, with or without.... 25c to $1.50
Initial .... 25c to $1.00
Fancy Border Handkerchiefs 25c
Hats and Caps of all kinds .... 50c to $5.00
Combination Sets of all kinds ...... 50c to $5.00
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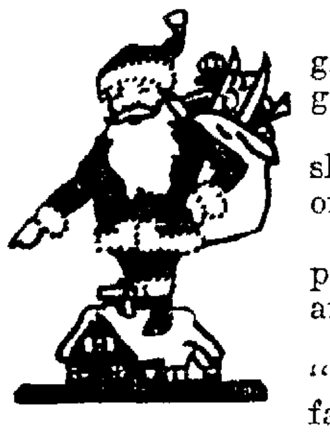

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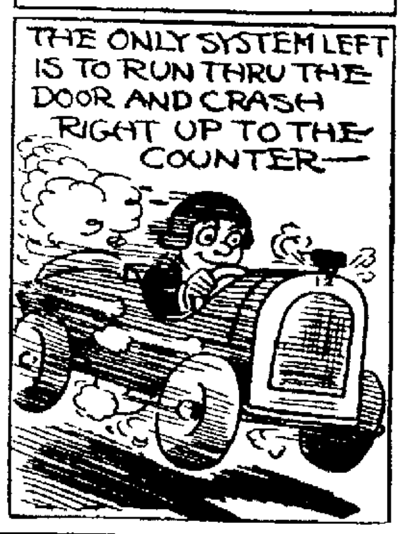

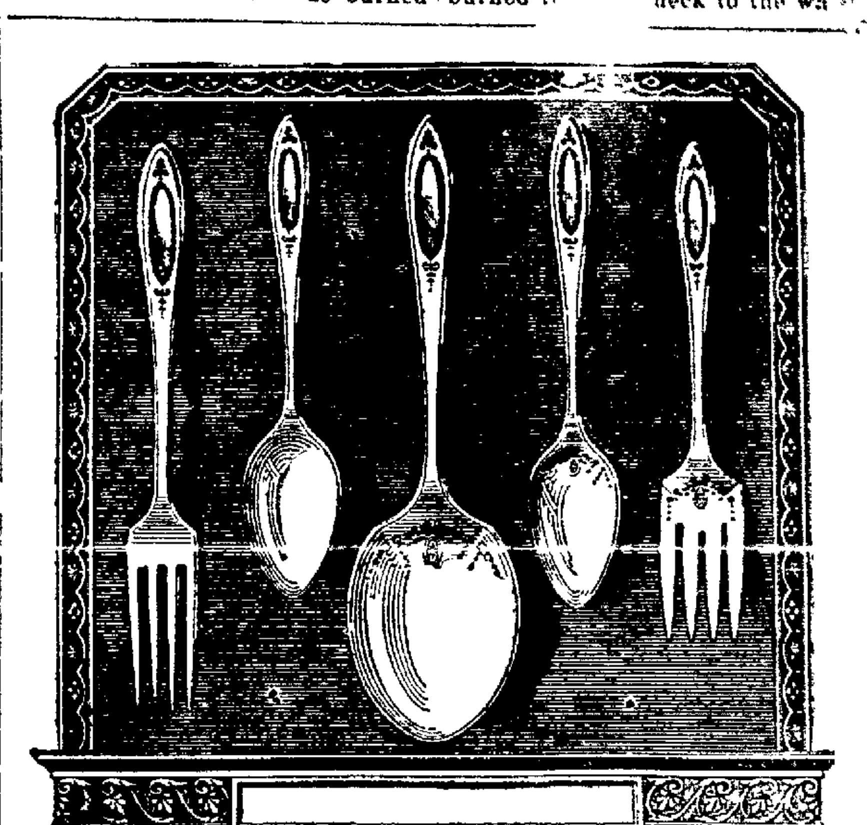

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Assorted Jack-knives each 75c	2 Qt. Alum. Double Cooker $1.00
Assortment Jack-knives each .. $1.00	5 Qt. Alum. Teakettle $1.00
Scout Knife each $1.50	14 Qt. Aluminum Dish Pan $1.00
Scout Axe each .. $1.35	Carving Sets .$2 to $5
Boys' Wheelbarrow at 50c	Universal Electric Percolator ... $7.25
350 Shot Daisy Air Rifle $2.00	Leonard Night Watch Radium Dial .. $2.50
Roller Skates a pair $1.90	Boys' Watches .. $1.25
Ice Skates pr. $1.00 up	Children's Flat Irons .. 10c, 25c, 50c
Universal Lunch Kit $2.75	Flashlights .... $1 up
Thermos Lunch Kit $2.50	Boys' Delight—Set of boxing gloves Foot-ball & hand ball .$5
Fancy Market Baskets 75c	Kiddie Kar .. $2.50 up
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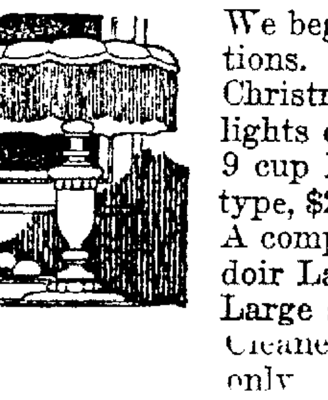

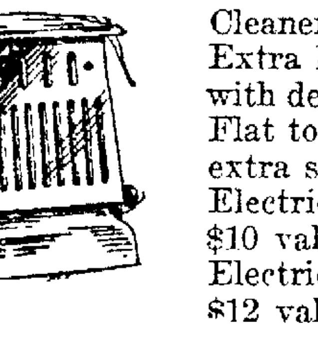

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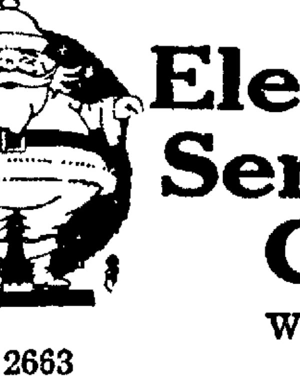

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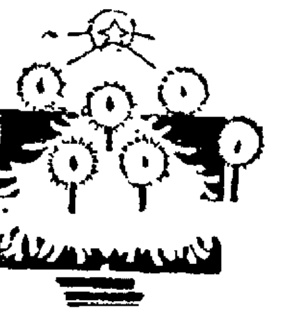

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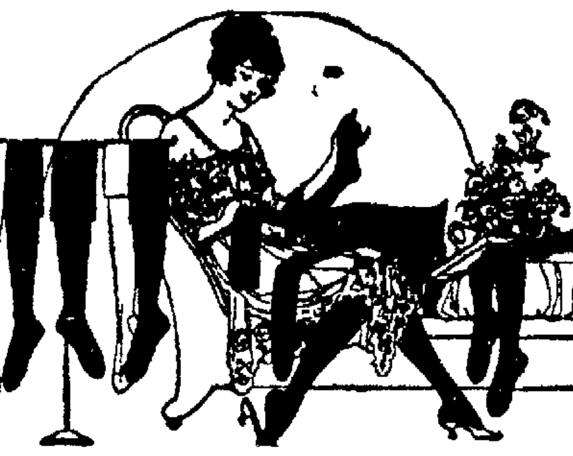

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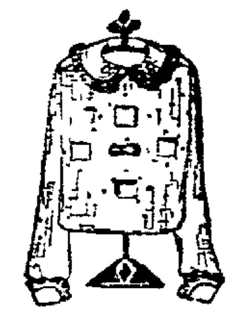

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$433,447,000 FOR FARMERS PAST YEAR

Nearly Half a Billion Dollars Loaned to Aid Agriculture During Critical Period

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Nearly half a billion dollars, $433,-447,-000, was loaned to American agriculture by the war finance corporation during the critical period of depression in the past year, the annual report of the commission sent to congress disclosed today

"But the value of the work of the war finance corporation is not to be measured by the advances made," said he report, in stressing that the chief benefit conferred by the commission's activities was restoration of confidence in the credit stability of the rural regions.

Conditions have steadily improved as a result of the commission's prompt relief during the period of depression, the commission said.

The corporation reported that approved advances up to November 30 for agricultural and live stock purposes in 37 states amounted to $433,447,000. The livestock industry in the west received $90,000,-000; cotton in the south $81,000,-000, grain in the northwest, middle west and southwest $36,000,000, peanuts in Virginia $2,000,000; tobacco in Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio, North Carolina and neighboring states $40,000,000; rye in California, Louisiana and Arkansas $10,-000,000; sugar beets in Colorado and Utah $11,000,000, and for general agricultural purposes in all of the states $159,000,000 was loaned In all $53,374,000 was advanced for export purposes

BELLAIRE. Dec 21.—Police Chief Mike Davis has obtained an injunction against enforcement of Mayor John R. Wyatt's orders suspending him and later discharging him. Mayor Wyatt appointed Martin Ney as acting chief and when Davis refused to quit he was discharged. While this was in progress Davis obtained the injunction in Belmont county common pleas court at St Clairsville.

WITNESSES AT HERRIN MINERS' TRIAL TELL OF MASSACRE

Leading legal figures at the trial. Above, at left, State's Attorney Delos Duty. At right, Circuit Judge D. T. Hartwell. Below, defendants' counsel, A. C. Lewis, left; Angus W. Kerr standing, and George R. Stone.

The gruesome details of how the mob at the Herrin mine riot shot down its victims along the road from the mine to town and in the cemetery there are being told by eye witnesses to the shootings at the trial of five men in connection with the massacre. The trial is being he'd at Marion, Ill. States Attorney Delos Duty has active charge of the prosecution. A. C. Lewis of Harrisburg, Ill.; Angus W. Kerr of Springfield, and George R. Stone of Marion are defending the miners accused. Circuit Judge D. T. Hartwell is presiding at the trial of the men.

NORTHCLIFFE'S WILL DISPUTED BY WOMAN

LONDON, Dec 21.—A mysterious woman appeared at the hearing of the late Viscount Northcliffe's will case today and blocked immediate settlement

The woman, whose name, according to the police is Mrs. C. A. Thomas, arose in the courtroom and declared that she desired to enter a caveat against the will in respect to a prior claim for certain [illegible] and property. The judge immediately adjourned the hearing for a few hours

Today's hearing was to have been a mere formality. According to the program the will and four codicils were to be proved

The woman said she did not claim that there was any will [illegible] to have the will filed for probate set aside

Officials declared that the woman was a notoriety seeker and had no connection with the Northcliffe case

SHIP STALLED OFF SANDUSKY

SANDUSKY, Dec. 21—The little steel hulled steamer Tourist of Sandusky, for which some apprehension was felt when at midnight she failed to reach Put-in-Bay 20 miles out in Lake Erie, after leaving Sandusky at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, with coal and ten passengers in addition to her crew of six, was found fast in the ice off Ballast Island, about a mile off Put-in Bay this morning The passengers were able to walk ashore over the ice.

The Tourist is trying to buck her way to her dock.

BELLAIRE, Dec. 21.—In a futile effort to avoid striking Betty, 6-year-old daughter of Henry D. Cowen, Howard Yost drove his machine into a pile of structural iron in a local street. The child, who ran in front of the car, has a fractured wrist and other injuries but will recover.

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3 lbs Fancy California Walnuts	98c
2 lbs Brazil Nuts	35c
Naval Oranges, from, dozen	30c to $1.00

We have Head Lettuce, Spinach, Green Onions, Radishes, Brussell Sprouts, Mushrooms and Cauliflowers We will have Florida Strawberries for Saturday.

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Recently He completed his work last summer

President King spoke Tuesday at a luncheon of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce

[illegible] H Gr[illegible] has left on a business trip that includes Columbus, Washington, D C and New York

Lois Kelly daughter of Mr and Mrs George Kelly has returned home for the holidays

G. H Bath was in Cleveland, Tuesday

Marion Lyon has left for Los Angeles, Cal, where he will visit his mother and sister

YORKVILLE Dec 21.—George Polack, 19, died of injuries sustained when caught beneath a fall of stone in the Dorothy mine of the Youghiogheny & Ohio Coal Co near here

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OBERLIN

By Mrs. W. H. Chapin

COMMUNITY TO TAKE PART IN TREE SERVICES

OBERLIN, Dec 21.—A community tree will feature the celebration of the Christmas season in Oberlin The tree near the middle of the south side of the campus will be illuminated every night for ten nights beginning this Saturday. On five of the nights, Dec 24, 25, 27, 30 and Jan. 1, there will be special programs.

Dec 24, at 6 30—Community carol services John Wetzel will tell a Christmas story.

Dec 25 at 5 45 p m —Candle light parade and Christmas songs

Dec 27 at 7 30 p m —Special musical program by members of Oberlin Conservatory of Music

Dec 21 at 7 30 p m —Oberlin band will play Entertainment by American Legion

Jan 1 at 6 30 p m —Program not as yet settled

The chapel bell will ring seven minutes before time and if the bell does not ring this is a sign that on account of bad weather the entertainment will be postponed

SILVIA JOHNSON, 59, SUCCUMBED TUESDAY

OBERLIN Dec 21. — Silvia Johnson, age 59 died Tuesday at the home of her sister, Mrs V McRoberts 209 South Professor street Burial will take place on Friday in Pittsfield Funeral srevices from the house at 2 p m

OBERLIN COLLEGE MEN'S GLEE CLUB ON TOUR

OBERLIN Dec 21.—The first [illegible] of the Oberlin College Men's Glee Club [illegible] 25 was last night [illegible] To-night was [illegible] The states of Ohio Indiana, Michigan and Illinois will be [illegible] of the tour [illegible] will last 17 days

XMAS PARTY SATURDAY

OBERLIN Dec 21.—A Christmas party is to be given Saturday evening in Reed hall to those students who [illegible] in Oberlin over the holidays. There will be dancing and games and each person is requested to bring a small [illegible] Everyone is invited

DECLARE DIVIDEND.

OBERLIN Dec 21 The directors of the [illegible] Mortgage Co [illegible] dividend [illegible] common stock [illegible] Jan 1

GRID STARS SEE PLAY

[illegible] were [illegible] West of the [illegible]

ENTERTAIN CLUB

[illegible] Mr and Mrs W [illegible] at a [illegible] evening [illegible] were present

BENEFIT SHOW SATURDAY

A potato or [illegible] will gain admission to the Apollo theatre benefit on Saturday morning The show will [illegible] and the proceeds will go to the needs of Oberlin

PUT CANDLE IN WINDOW

OBERLIN Dec 21 Residents of Oberlin are requested to place a candle in the window of one room on Christmas eve

OBERLIN Dec 21 Some Oberlinites are complaining about the short vacation given the schools here this year It begins Friday afternoon and lasts till the day after New Years They say that the college closes for two weeks without and detrimental effec, and why shouldn't the other schools

OBERLIN PERSONALS

OBERLIN, Dec 21.—Professor F. E Carr of the department of mathematics, took his Ph. D. degree at the University of Chicago

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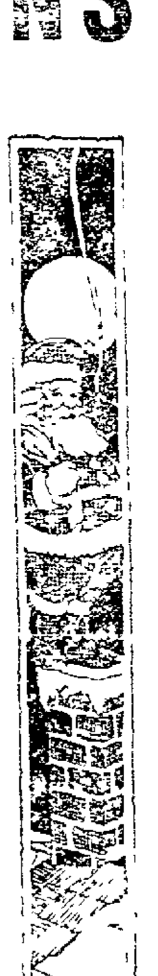
Last Minutes



Hardware and House Furnishing Goods are always staple gifts. Pocket Knives, Razors, Shaving Mirrors, Carving Sets, Lunch Sets, Tools, Gun and Sporting Goods are always acceptable to men.

Pocket Knives, Sleds, Skates, Wagons, Tools, Watches, Footballs, Boxing Gloves, Air Guns, Rifles, Mechanical Sets, Bicycles, are things boys want.

Shears, Manicure Sets, Household Knives, Silver Ware, Pyrex Dishes, Casseroles, Percolators, Mirro Aluminum, Electric Washers and Hoover Sweepers are gifts for all women.

And remember a big dinner means lots of cooking so if you need a new Alcazar Combination or Jewel Gas Range or a roaster or other cooking utensils order early.

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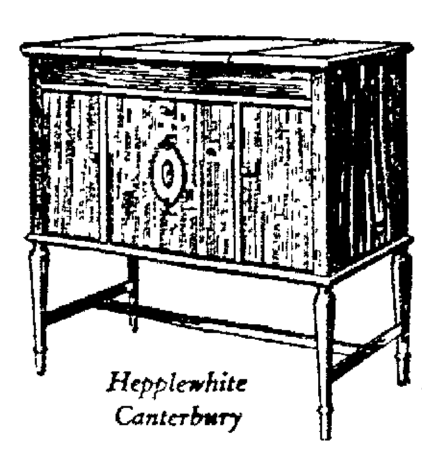

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$1.35 $2.95 Men's leather and comfy slippers, values from $1.75 to $3.50.

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These prices are better than the usual after Christmas prices, choose your Christmas gift from this assortment.

Brenner's 'Walkwell Shoe Shop'

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WANTS HARDING TO SUPPRESS KKK PAPERS

Mayor of New York Says Texas Weekly Disseminates Race Prejudice

NEW YORK, Dec 21.—President Harding was today requested by Mayor Hylan to stop the publication of Colonel Mayfield's weekly, a Ku Klux Klan paper published in Texas The request was made on the ground that the paper was deliberately disseminating race prejudice and attempting to destroy the peace and happiness of the nation

According to Mayor Hylan the paper is published by Senator-elect Earl B Mayfield, democrat, Texas, but advices from Houston, Texas, state that the owner is one Colonel Billie Mayfield, and not the senator-elect.

"There is a blatant display of race hatred and religious prejudice in this paper and considerable mistatements," the mayor wrote the president "As an example of the latter, Mr Mayfield alleges in his newspaper that I have issued orders to the police to shoot klansmen Such an accusation is both wilfully wicked and absurd"

Mayor Hylan attacked the Ku Klux Klan and their "efforts to awaken race prejudice," and concluded·

"Is it not the duty of the federal authorities to check the activities of these who would destroy the peace and happiness and prosperity of the people of this nation? Does there not rest upon them the in-exornable duty of repressing every attempt to incite religious prejudice and racial hatred? I respectfully urge that if an examination of a complete file of the issues of "Colonel Mayfield's weekly" bears out the sinister motives for which this publication is apparently disseminated, official action be taken by the attorney general and the postmaster general to suppress the sheet and to proceed against its publisher, Earl B. Mayfiled, the democratic senator-elect of the state of Texas.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—President Harding today referred to the department of justice and the postoffice department a letter from Mayor Hylan of New York requesting the government to stop the publication of Colonel Mayfield's Weekly, a Ku Klux Klan paper published in Texas

Officials said no action would be taken against the publication until investigations had been made by these departments, and that the president probably would await reports from Attorney General Daugherty and Postmaster General Work before replying to Mayor Hylan.

A Live Santa Claus has a Gift for all Children at the Harry H. Smith Co.

CHANCE LOOKS OVER FIELD OF BATTLE

Manager Frank Chance of Red Sox and Owner Frazee inspecting Fenway field preparatory to making changes Chance desires.

Frank Chance, returning to baseball as manager of the Boston Red Sox, isn't letting any grass grow under his feet. He has already started several deals and has even inspected the playing infield with the view of getting the type of infield he likes. The above photo is the latest one taken since he became pilot of the wrecked Boston team.

MARKETS

CLEVELAND PRODUCE MARKET

Butter, extra, per lb.	58@1-2
Prints, per lb.	59@59 1-2
Firsts, per lb	57@57 1-2
Packing stock, per lb.	33@34
EGGS, fresh per doz.	53
Ohio firsts, per doz	50
Western firsts, per doz.	49
Oleo, Nut, per lb.	20
High grade animal oils	25@25 1-2
Lower Grades	16@17
Cheese York State, per lb.	29@30
POULTRY, live heavy fowls, per lb.	22@24
Roosters, per lb.	14@15
Broilers, per lb.	23
Spring Ducks, per lb.	25@26
Turkeys, per lb.	46@48
Live Geese, per lb.	21@25

STOCKS

NEWYORK NOON PRICES.

American Can	72 3-4
American Car & Fdy.	180
American Locomotive	123 3-4
Anaconda	49 1-2
Atchison	100 1-4
Atlantic Gulf & W I	22 1-4
Baldwin Locomotive	123 3-8
Baltimore & Ohio	41 1-4
Bethlehem Steel Prfd.	60 1-4
Butte and Spr	32
Canadian Pacific	143 1-8
Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	21 1-4
Crucible Steel	68 1-4
Erie	10
General Electric	181
Inspiration Copper	35 3-8
International Paper	51 1-8
Marine	11
Marine Preferred	46 3-4
Norfolk & Western	111 1-2
Northern Pacific	75 1-8
Pittsburgh Coal	20 3-8
Reading	79 1-4
Republic Iron & Steel	44 1-4
Southern Pacific	87
Southern Railway	24 1-8
Studebaker	134 3-4
Texas Company	47 3-8
Union Pacific	135 3-4
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	65 1-4
U. S. Steel, common	106
Utah Copper	63 1-8
Westinghouse	60
Willys-Overland	6 3-4

CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK

CATTLE· Receipts 600; market 25c lower.

CALVES: Receipts 400; market steady. Top 1300.

SHEEP AND LAMBS· Receipts 1500; market 25c higher. Top 1525.

HOGS: Receipts 6000; markets steady, to 5c higher

Yorkers	$90
Mixed	$90
Heavies	$90
Mediums	$90
Pigs	900
Roughs	725
Stags	475

WANT RUPPRECHT TO RULE BAVARIA

Former Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria.

Bavarian republicans believe they have discovered a monarchist plan to place former Crown Prince Rupprecht in power and restore the throne. They believe that the bill to create a "state president," introduced in the diet by the reactionaries, is a part of this plan. A figurehead would be put up first and then Rupprecht would step in, republicans assert.

SHORTEST DAY

This is the shortest day of the year, according to the calendar. The sun rises at 6:58 and set at 4:58. Then begins the lengthening of days, which comes so slowly that it will not be noticeable for several weeks

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 21.—Edgar C. Frady, charged with the murder of his wife in a hotel here last February, is suffering from an acute kidney disease which is expected to cause his death before his trial is called two weeks hence, Dr. E. M. Jones, Frady's physician, declared today.

Special $1.00 pocket knives 75c. Standard Hardware.

CINCINNATIAN HELP UP ENROUTE TO CONCLAVE

NEWARK, O, Dec. 21.—R. L. Speaks, Cincinnati, district manager for a fraternal organization, was robbed in Columbus, it is reported, of $20, his overcoat and grip while enroute to this city to attend a district meeting today. The footpad pressed a revolver against his back and ordered him to throw up his hands.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. — Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador, today informed Secretary of labor Davis he would join him in New York on December 28 for an inspection of the Ellis Island immigratian station. The inspection to be made by Davis is a preliminary to the formulation of plans for rebuilding Ellis Island.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. — The house judiciary committee prepared today to wind up its investigation of impeachment charges brought by Representative Keller, republican of Minnesota, against Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty.

DUBLIN, Dec. 21.—Feeble and weak from her protracted hunger strike, Mary MacSwiney appeared in public for the first time today and took part in the meetings held to protest against further executions of irregulars.

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FRIDAY —AND— SATURDAY SPECIALS

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10 lb. Pure Cane Sugar
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8 pounds Onions	25c
1 5-lb. can Maple Karo	50c
1 large can Winner Syrup, maple	15c
Fancy mixed candy, lb.	25c, 35c, 50c
6 bxs. Sun Flakes, like Lux	25c
2 lb. English Walnuts	75c
2 lb. Brazil Nuts	45c
2 lb. Almonds at	65c
6 boxes Matches	35c
10 bars Laundry Soap	40c

Try This
4 cans Tomatoes, 18c value
4 cans De Luxe Beans 30c value
4 cans Corn, 20c value
All $1.59

1-2 bu. Good Apples	69c
2 1-lb. cans Apricots, val. 20c can	27c
3 cans Pumpkin	25c
1 large bottle Catsup	15c

1 lb our regular special blend 40c coffee, specially priced at per lb. 35c

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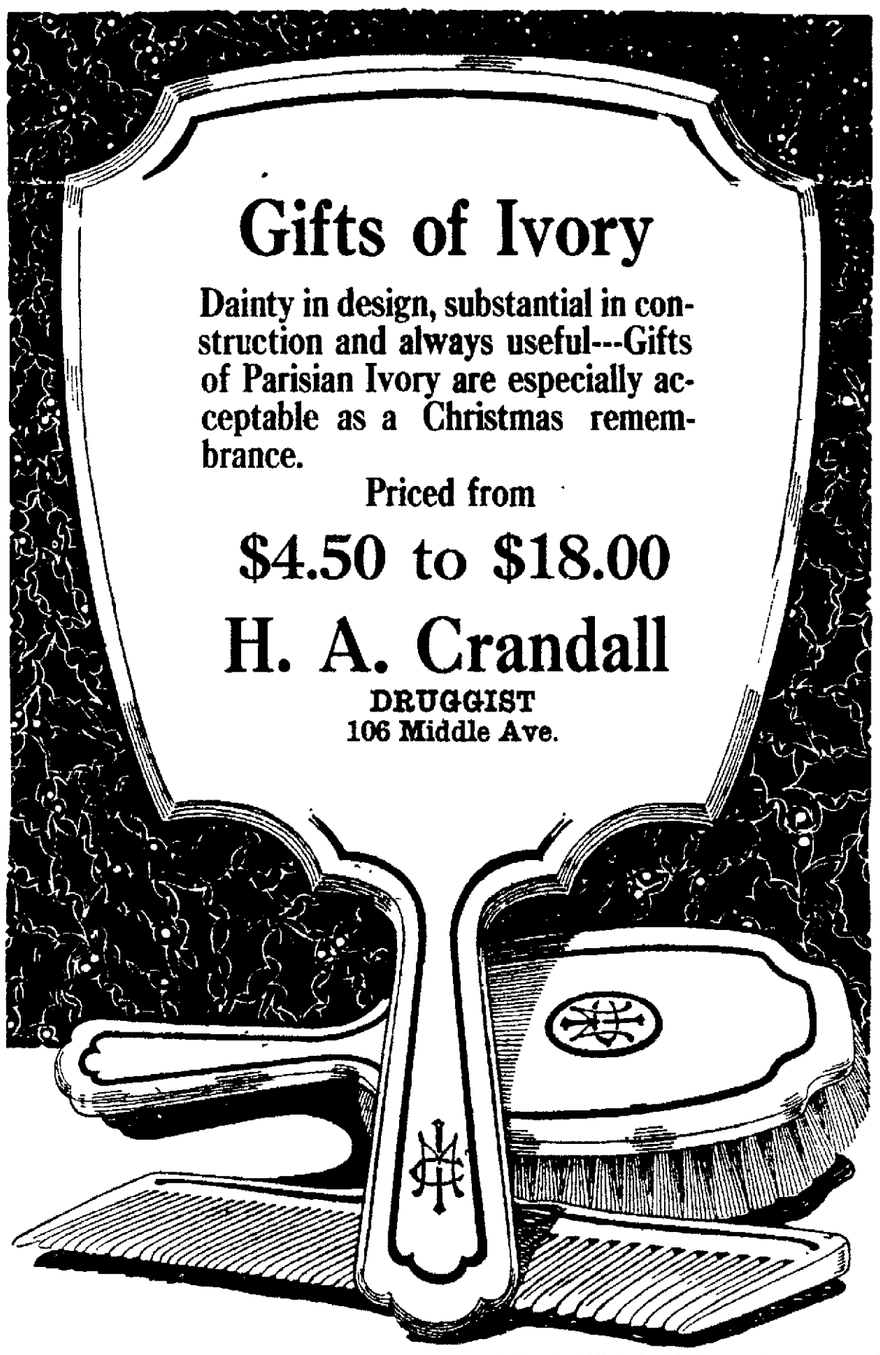

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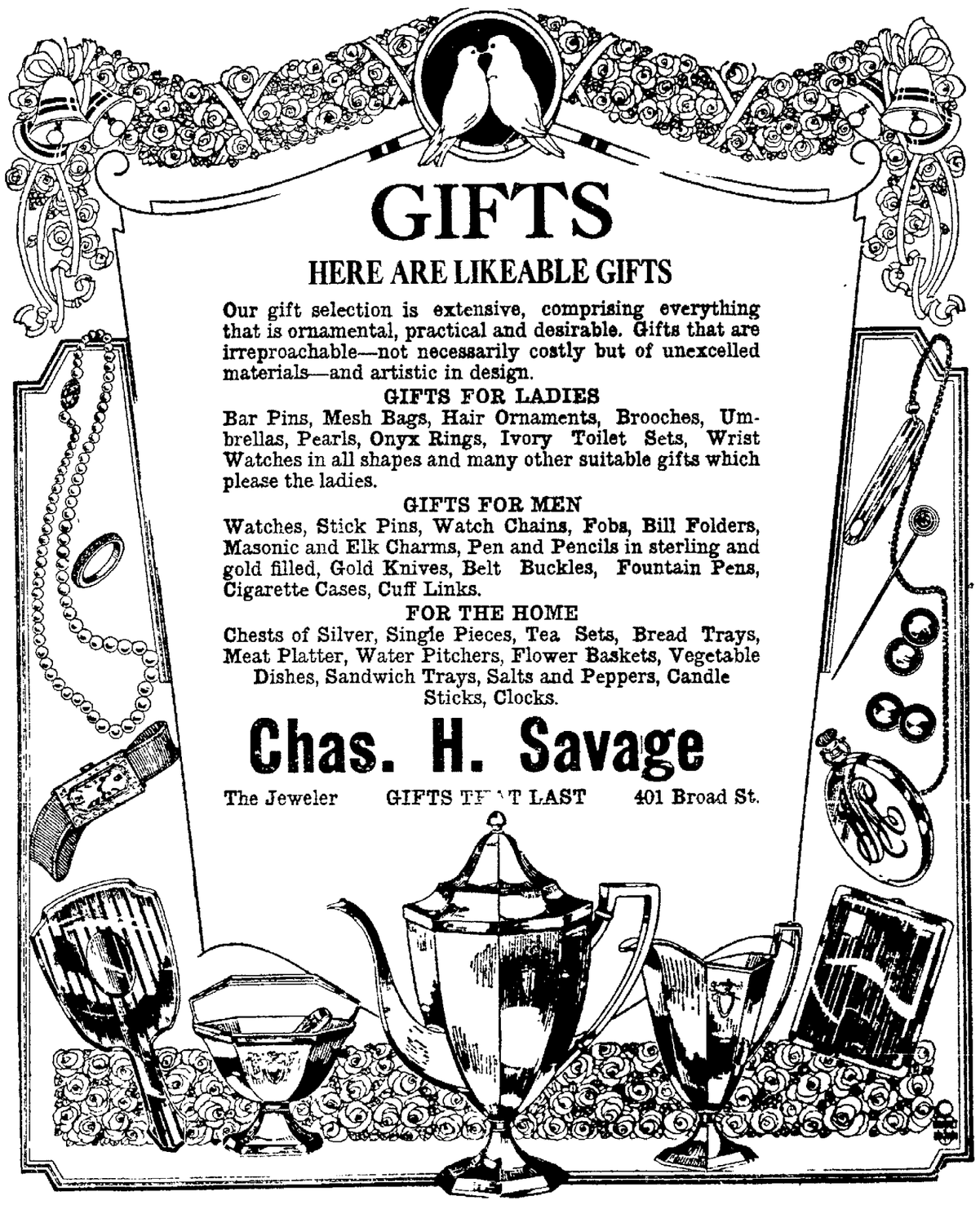

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HERE ARE LIKEABLE GIFTS

Our gift selection is extensive, comprising everything that is ornamental, practical and desirable. Gifts that are irreproachable—not necessarily costly but of unexcelled materials—and artistic in design.

GIFTS FOR LADIES
Bar Pins, Mesh Bags, Hair Ornaments, Brooches, Umbrellas, Pearls, Onyx Rings, Ivory Toilet Sets, Wrist Watches in all shapes and many other suitable gifts which please the ladies.

GIFTS FOR MEN
Watches, Stick Pins, Watch Chains, Fobs, Bill Folders, Masonic and Elk Charms, Pen and Pencils in sterling and gold filled, Gold Knives, Belt Buckles, Fountain Pens, Cigarette Cases, Cuff Links.

FOR THE HOME
Chests of Silver, Single Pieces, Tea Sets, Bread Trays, Meat Platter, Water Pitchers, Flower Baskets, Vegetable Dishes, Sandwich Trays, Salts and Peppers, Candle Sticks, Clocks.

Chas. H. Savage
The Jeweler GIFTS THAT LAST 401 Broad St.

KILBANE, WILSON ARE BARRED IN N. Y.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—William Muldoon announced today that, as long as he is chairman of the New York state athletic commission, neither Johnny Kilbane nor Johnny Wilson will be allowed to defend their disputed titles in this state nor will Jess Willard be permitted to appear in any bouts here.

The statement throws a shadow upon the proposed bout between Kilbane and Eugene Criqui, the Frenchman, for the world's featherweight title in May. It also embarrases the attempt of Willard to get a return bout with Jack Dempsey somewhere in this vicinity.

The edicts, however, are regarded here as of temporary force in that it is Muldoon will be deposited on or about January 1, and a new commission installed.

BOY SCOUTS AT ELY SCHOOL FORM TEAMS

The Boy Scouts basket ball team met last evening at the new Ely building on the Gulf road. Two teams have been organized. The first is made up of boys from 12 to 16 years of age, and the second team from 11 to 13.

The boys have had the good luck to secure Ben Dangerfield of the Elyria high school as their coach, and J. Eirman, as their second coach. Both have worked hard with Scout Master Stryker in organizing the boys. A good work out was had last night, and it was announced that the teams will be ready for challenges after the first of the year. They should be addressed to L. V. Stryker, Scout Master, 910 Lake avenue.

NOTRE DAME ELEVEN AND PRINCETON SIGNED

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 21.—Notre Dame and Princeton will meet on the fotball field next year it was announced by Coach Knute Rockne of the "fighting Irish eleven" here today. The game will be played on October 20th, at Princeton.

COASTING PARTIES ARE AT A HEIGHT HERE

Coasting parties are the fad here since the big snow afforded easy sliding and those who are willing to brave the zero atmosphere for the fun of being precipitated down a steep hill on a bob-sled are having the time of their young lives.

Sport Events Today

RACING:
Meeting of Jefferson Parish Fair Association, at New Orleans.
Meeting of Cuba-American Jockey Club, at Havana.
Meeting of Tijuana Jockey Club, at Tijuana.
HOCKEY:
Western section of U. S. Hockey Association opens its season.
TENNIS:
Meeting of International Tennis Federation, at London.
BOXING:
Willie Herman vs. Joe Reno, 12 rounds, at Paterson, N. J.

POLAND'S FORMER PRESIDENT MADE CHIEF OF STAFF

Marshal Joseph Pilsudski.

Marshal Joseph Pilsudski, former provisional president of the Polish republic, has been named chief of staff of the Polish army, to succeed General Sikorski, who has assumed the premiership. Pilsudski's appointment has given the people a feeling of security, as he is a popular idol.

The Chinese make their household baskets so closely and firmly that they can be used in many cases to hold water, and are excellent substitutes for buckets. This naturally means great skill and patience in the manufacture, which is only attained through years of practice. The tremendous number of willow-trees growing in China supply the necessary material.

At Christmas social gatherings in Spain a popular feature is the Urn of Fate. From the urn are drawn slips of paper bearing the names of those present. The young men and women whose names are drawn together are believed to be ordained by Fate to be devoted friends during the year.

The conception of St. Nicholas as the protector of maidens and the provider of husbands still prevails in some parts. In the English mining districts, for instance, it is still the custom to collect "maidens' purses," or marriage portions for poor girls, on Christmas Eve.

JACKSON LOSES BIGGEST BOUT TO "CY"

Willie Jackson in action.

The recent beating at the hands of the youthful Johnny Shugrue meant more than a defeat to Willie Jackson, busy lightweight and once reckoned as a probable successor to the title held by Benny Leonard. It meant the start on the long journey all fighters must some day take to the city of Oblivion. And those close to Jackson believe that psychology helped as much as Shugrue's punches to defeat Jackson. It was Willie's first bout in his long career without the services of Doc Bagley, his manager. They broke a few weeks ago. Jackson made last minute effort to get Bagley in his corner and when the attempt failed felt that his luck had left him.

HERE'S HOW TO PREVENT CHIMNEY BURNING OUT

To remove soot and prevent fires by chimney burning out: Fire Chief W. N. Bates says:

A clean chimney with no cracks in the brick-work, and properly lined, is a safe chimney.

Soot will collect in chimneys, and soot and the shingle roof form an alliance that sooner or later calls out the fire department.

Chimneys are easily kept from the soot haazard by using common salt.

"The fire is put into good condition with a substantial body of hot fuel. Common salt, thoroughly dried, is then thrown or sprinkled on to the incadescent fuel bed in a quantity depending entirely on the size of the furnace.

"In the case of a house heating furnace, one pound at a time is ample, in the case of a large power plant boiler, four or five scoops full may be required. The dampers are kept open so as to maintain the furnace temperature and the salt is allowed to remain until the fumes have entirely disappeared.

Cheap But Effective

"Immediately upon charging the salt, the furnace becomes filled with dense white fumes which may require as much as half an hour to entirely disappear. If results are roughly cleaned a small application it should be repeated as many times as necessary.

"Once the heating surface is thoroughly cleane da small application every few days is usually sufficent to keep it so.

"Everyone using soft coal is urged by the administration to use this remarkably simple and cheap process for getting rid of the soot, cleaning and heating surfaces of boilers, thus saving large amounts of coal, preventing fires from chimneys and generally conserving all along the line of heating and the production of power."

AMHERST

Kenneth Tolhurst

BROWNHELM BOWLERS NO MATCH FOR MERCHANT 5

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—The Amherst Merchants took two games out of three from the Brownhelm A. C. at the Warren and Whyte alleys last evening. Schnaak was the high man for the three games with a total of 479 and Martin close behind with 477. MacGill rolled the highest single score of 217. The lineup and summary:

AMHERST MERCHANTS

Martin	154	162	161	—477
Ruth	154	155	125	—434
Dill	105	123	146	—375
Macgill	104		217	—321
Bitings	119	146	163	—428
Duffield ...		91		—91
Total ...	637	677	812	2126

BROWNHELM A. C.

Bacon	158	118	154	—430
Huesser ...	158	147	157	—462
Ruth	111		143	—244
Barthlome .	123	86		—209
Schnaak ...	170	144	165	—479
Kreig		117	156	—273
Totals ...	72[illegible]	612	775	2097

The league standing is:

	P	W	L
Lumber Jacks	3	2	1
U S Automatic	3	1	2
West [illegible]	3	3	0
Jackson Hotels	3	0	3
Brownhelm	3	1	2
Merchants	3	2	1

EASTERN STAR LODGE INSTALLS ITS OFFICERS

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—The local chapter of the O. E. S. installed their officers for the coming year last evening.

Worthy Matron—Ruth Schaeffer.
A. Matron—Iona Kucer.
W. Patron—C. E. Cooper.
Secretary—Gertrude Wemert.
Treasurer—Martha Gerlach.
Conductress—Elizabeth Wragg.
A. Conductress—Margaret Bruce.
Ada—Mayme Cameron.
Ruth—Bessie Gawn.
Esther—Helen Smith.
Martha—Nettie Holzhauer.
Electa—Elizabeth Mitchell.
Warden—Nina Lenszler.
Sentinel—Edward Sahl.
Chaplin—Nora Paterson.
Organist—Blanche Baker.

The out going Matron, Mrs. Gillman were presented a past matron pin by Jessie Hubbard, for which she thanked the Chapter in a few well chosen words.

EIGHTH GRADES PUT ON A FINE PROGRAM

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—The eighth grade of the local school held their regular chapel services yesterday morning. The program was as follows:

Lord's Prayer.
Song by Class.
Question Box, Velma Krouse.
Book Reports, Helen Eastman, Doyle Hutton, Stanley Reichert, Alice Neidwig and Robert Miller.
Quartette, Helen Orcutt, Minnie Kreig, Alma Daniel, Virginia Gillman.
Jokes, Anna Blank.
Speech, Carl Mueder.
Quotations, Dorothy Sanford.
Recitation "The Boy Who Was Scared of Dying," Frederick Deiner.
Limitations of Youth, John Fleming.
"A Little Knight Errant," Philip Jeager.
Song by class.
Reading "Shuffle Shoon and Amber Locke," Dorothy Moff.
Riddles, Steve Rick.
Current Events, Stella Burbliss.

BOYS AND GIRLS TEAMS PLAY IN DOUBLE HEADER

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—The Amherst High basketball squad will meet the South Amherst lads at the Congregational gym this evening. Last evening Coach Durling gave his team a stiff workout and reduced his squad to 14 men. The following men will be seen in action this evening according to Durling's plans:

Menz, Baumhardt, Tolhurst, Fredrick, Gulselman, Linehos, Smith, Dute, Cahl, Gishman, Denschle, Miller and Eastman.

The preliminary game between the girls teams of the two schools will start at 7:30.

SOCIETIES PACK BASKETS FOR NEEDY OF VILLAGE

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—The Ladies Aid Societies of the Methodist and Congregational churches held a pound social in the church parlors yesterday afternoon. Every one present brought with them a pound of food which was made up into baskets for needy families. Mrs. C. D. Worcester and Mrs. Charles Boughton were the hostesses and served a delicious lunch. About 30 ladies were present.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS GUESTS AT PARTY

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—Prof. F. R. Powers and W. J. Durling entertained the teachers of the local schools at the school building last evening. The time was enjoyably spent with entertainment in keeping with the holiday season. At a late hour a delicious lunch was served by the hosts. About 20 teachers were present.

STONE CUTTERS TO DANCE

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—The local Stone cutters will hold their annual dance in the Ehrman hall on December 29. A splendid program has been arranged by the committee. The Smith family orchestra of Elyria will furnish the music.

AMHERST PERSONALS

AMHERST, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Geo. Schroeder is confined to her home with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Hubbard spent yesterday in LaGrange.

Mrs. Ruby Guild spent yesterday in Vermilion.

Mrs. B. T. Gawn, of Cleveland spent last evening in Amherst.

Percy Barber is attending the meeting of the Al Koran Shrine in Cleveland today.

Otis Strahl of Columbus, is visiting friends and relatives in Amherst.

Special $1.00 pocket knives 75c. Standard Hardware.

HIS EXPERIENCE LIKENED TO FICTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 21.—Hamilton Peugnet, 21, erstwhile electrical engineering student at the University of Missouri, was free today to ruminate upon as amazing a ninety days of experience as ever befell a fictional hero.

Three months ago Peugnet, whose home is in Kansas City, inherited $10,000 from his grandfather, Pierre Peugnet, one of the founders of St. Louis. His dreams were of a movie career rather than engineering, so the first train took him to Los Angeles. There an expensive hotel suite, a wicked looking roadster and a rainbow wardrobe gained him entry to movieland.

Peugnet met Miss Charlotte Stevens, motion picture star, fell in love, wooed her madly and they became engaged. Peugnet's patrimony sped from his fingers with an amazing swiftness. Last week there was a lover's tiff. Miss Stevens went to Chicago for the holidays. Peugnet took stock. He was penniless. He came to San Francisco and stowed away on the liner Sonoma. But he was a good sailor and had to reveal his presence before the ship had cropped pilot. He came back a prisoner, being reelased after his fingerprints were taken.

"I feel like a glittering bubble," he said. "Life has been swift and glorions. I have been shot up in the air and now I seem to have come down—hard on concrete."

ORDERS BOOZE RESTORED TO FORMER OWNER

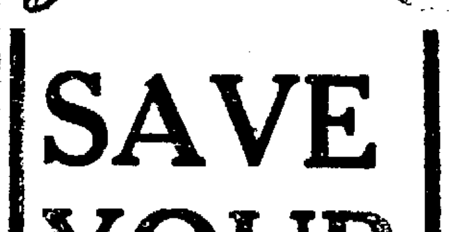
DAYTON, Dec. 21.—This is going to be a merry Christmas for Doe Green. It is also going to be a rather damp one and Doe's old acquaintance are already telling him what a fine fellow he is. And every little movement has a meaning all of its own.

A year ago last September, dry raiders searched Doe's house for liquor. Not finding it, a second warrant was issued which included Doe's barn. It was there that the liquor was found. Doe appealed the case and today Judge Patterson declared the lower court's action to have been illegal and ordered the sheriff to return the liquor—120 quarts of bottled in bond.

The sheriff delivered it this morning but he cast a longing glance to Doe's house when the last bottle had been carried in.

HEAR FRENCH PLANS TO RATIFY TREATY

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The Evening Standard declared today that it had learned authoriatively that the French government has consented to ask the chamber of deputies to ratify the Washington naval disarmament agreement at once.



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In the spring of 1920 Scout Jack McAllister of the Cleveland Indians tried to get Johnny Gooch, New Orleans lad, a job as warm-up catcher with the Indians. Manager Speaker was overburdened with youngsters, so passed up John. When Manager Dobbs of the New Orleans team was tipped off to the lad he also turned him down. Gooch finally played independent ball. Birmingham saw him and grabbed him. The Pirates nabbed him last year and he proceeded to catch more than half that team's games in great style.

In France it is a custom to give the cat all it can eat on Christmas Eve for if, by any chance, it mews, bad luck for the household is sure to follow.

The French peasantry always preserve some of the ashes of the Yule log, in the belief that the ashes will afford a protection against lightning and misfortune.

Christmas was observed as early as the year 93 A. D., the celebrations then taking place in May and June. Not until the fifth century was December 25th fixed as the date.

A Live Santa Claus has a Gift for all Children at the Harry H. Smith Co.

HEART BEATS MAY IDENTIFY IN BURGLARY

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Tell tale heart beats as an amplification of the bertillion system and the stethoscope as an instrument of identification today were introduced to bring Harry Sinclair to face the charge of burglary of Dr. Henry Moeller's office.

The physician was attacked and robbed last Sunday night by a man who entered his office on the pretext that he was suffering from heart disease. Dr. Moeller examined his heart action.

His son, also a physician, applied the stethoscope to Sinclair at the police station. He told police the man's heart beats were identical with those of the robber, according to his father's description.

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WANT AD REPLIES
At 10:30 A. M. today there were replies at The Chronicle-Telegram Office in the following boxes:
Box Nos.—710, 712, 723, 725, 730, 731, 732.

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IMPERIAL FURNITURE CO.
Phone 2653
East Broad Street Bridge
10 Years in Elyria
UPHOLSTERING, REPAIRING, CABINET WORK, REFINISHING

EYMAN'S TRUNK AND LEATHER STORE
Will Save You Money on all Kinds Trunks, Traveling Bags, Suit Cases and Ladies' Hand Bags and Purses
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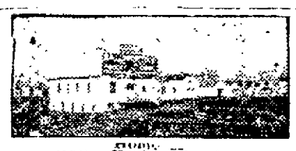

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336 FURNACE ST.
PHONE 35638

AUCTIONEER
EUGENE F. BURGE
307 Masonic Temple
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MELANIE FARR
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BIG SALE ON OVERCOATS
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AT $3, $4 and $5.
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LOST, FOUND, REWARD

LOST—Will party who picked up pocket book containing gold watch and sum of money near Lincoln Ct., return to Chronicle-Telegram or phone 9313. Liberal Reward. No questions will be asked. *

LOST—Bunch of keyes between Colson Co. and Chestnut St. Reward. Return to West Market Grocery. *

LOST—Citizen papers, between Murbachs and waiting room. Return to Murbach Coal Office on Broad St. *

LOST—Grey overcoat between 149 Cleveland St., and Marsailles. Return to H. W. Briters. *

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Single man for steady work on farm. Address box No. 736 Chronicle-Telegram. *

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—Woman to assist with housework. Phone 38751. *

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper to work in our Lorain store. For particulars call at Liberal Store, Elyria.

WANTED—First class stenographer, must be experienced and have some knowledge of bookkeeping, state experience in reply. Address box 737 Chronicle-Telegram.

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 817 Middle Ave. Phone 7291. *

FOR RENT—Furnished room for two gentlemen. Phone 41073. *

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping. 522 W. Second. *

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms, $30 Middle Ave. Phone 2681. *

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

FOR RENT—3 rooms, private entrance, with all conveniences, 802 East. Phone 8962. *

FOR RENT—Warm furnished rooms, private bath, sink. Phone 5471. *

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, centrally located. Phone 2740. *

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6 rooms everything in, oak floors. $30 per mo.
WILLIAM KILROY
308 Broad St. 2698 Open Nights

FOR RENT—Newly furnished 6 room house. Desirable location. Phone 2113.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—By owner, new modern home, just completed. 217 Wolf Ct. Ida Wolf, 8th St.

WILLIAM KILROY

$4950—Eastern Heights, 6 rooms, modern, 6 years old, newly painted, 50x135 lot; 3 mammoth shade trees, fine lawn and garden. Easy terms.

$3600—Lake Avenue, ground floor bungalow, 5 rooms, bath, fur., elect., like new, fine cement cellar, garage, large lot, $500 down.

$6200—Furnace street, 8 rooms, modern, big square house, polished oak floors, brick fire-place, in fine shape inside and out, large lot, fine lawn. Terms.

$4000—Cleveland street, 6 rooms, oak floors, fine cellar, large lot. Easy terms.

$4500—East avenue, close in, 10 rms., rented to two families, 2 baths, fur., elect., big cellar, 60x175 lot. People need money.

$1900—5 rooms, sewer, water, elect., toilet, big lot. Your own terms.

$4200—Boys an 8 room house, three minutes walk from square, large cemented basement, big rooms, in fine shape inside and out, garage, fine lawn. People leaving city. Easy terms.

TRADE—7 rooms, bath, fur., elect., newly papered and painted, in fine shape, big cellar, laundry tubs, large kitchen, 45x150 lot, close in on paved street. Will take automobile in on trade.
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LORAIN—
Moderated price house can be traded for Elyria property.
FARMS—
For general farming for sale or trade for city property.
GEORGE, TAYLOR & WHITNEY
303 Bank Bldg. Elyria.

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FOR SALE—200 A., 10 R. H., bank barn, silo, fertile, gently rolling land, spring water, only $11,000; 94 A., $7750, 80 A., $4200; good 130 A., $6800, 58½ A., brick rd., 4 mi. to Ashland, good bldgs., $8500. Long list good farms from $65 to $100 per A. BUY NOW.
R. A. BROWN, Ashland, O. *

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See our list of farms before you buy and we'll both make money.
H. B. STOUGHTON
28 Redington Bldg. Phone 2179

LOTS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Either one or all of my Park ave. lots. For information write Q. A. Underhill. 454 North Ave., San Diego, Calif. *

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Private garage, near center of town. See Mr. Hutchings at C. H. Merthe & Co. *

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—16in. and 20 in. wood. Call Walton Ice, 2351. *

FOR SALE—Upright piano, excellent make. Easy touch, fine condition, recently tuned. 410 East Ave. *

FOR SALE—Pedigreed Boston bull puppies, 9 weeks old, 206 Blaine street. *

FOR SALE—Bicycle, good condition, will sell cheap. Phone 36301. *

FOR SALE—Gas heaters, coal heaters, and coal ranges, also other articles. 355 E. River. 38192. *

FOR SALE—Roll top desk, small coal heater, cheap. Call 9031. *

FOR SALE—Call Spauldings for Pennsylvania smokeless coal, 4 in. lump. Phone 2150, 2510.

FOR SALE—A-1 violin and case. Cheap. Phone 38273. *

FOR SALE—12 thoroughbred Ancona pullets. Phone 5512. *

FOR SALE—Kodak, nearly new. Price $10. 341 West River. *

FOR SALE—One Radio 6 V 60 hr. battery, one cunningham detector tube; one Cunningham amplifier tube. Bargain. Call 5833. *

FOR SALE—10 red pullets. May hatched, $1.00 each. 1000 chick size oil hover $10.00. Good heating stove $10.00. W. C. Dunlap, Adelbert St., Stop 6, Lake avenue. *

FOR SALE — Kitchen gas range, cheap. Phone 39953. *

FOR SALE—One Round Oak stove, No. 13. 229 9th St. *

FOR SALE—Home dressed spring chickens. Phone 38982. *

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—Large second hand doll buggy. Phone 30823. *

WANTED—$1000 at once for 30 days, good security. Liberal return for use of this money. Box 739 Chronicle-Telegram.

AUTOS AND ACCESSORIES

FOR SALE—200 pairs slightly used tire chains, $1.60 and up. 2 sets of used side curtains for Ford. A. and A. Auto Supply, 584 Broad St.

FOR SALE—Ford panel truck. C. D. Bott, Stop 7, Grafton line. Evenings. *

FOR SALE—Chandler, seven passenger, like new. Inquire Mr. Kane, Farmers' Elevator Co., Amherst or phone 2495. *

GARAGE FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Garage 234 Cornell. Phone 8831. *

FOR RENT—Garage, 122 Lewis Ct. *

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WHOLESALE route including Dodge panel truck. A-1 condition, good proposition for hustler acquainted with restaurant and grocery trade in Elyria and Lorain. Write D. D. Jackson, 1832 Lorain avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. *

LEGAL NOTICES

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Perry Fay Company will be held at the company's office Thursday, January 25th, 1923 at 1:30 p. m., for the election of directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
R. B. FAY,
Secretary.
12-20-21-22.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Robert Coy, Deceased. Edith C. Coy has been appointed and qualified as Executrix of the estate of Robert Coy, late of Elyria, Lorain County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 23rd day of November, A. D. 1922.
H. C. WILCOX,
Probate Judge of Said County.
12-7-14-21.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Charles A. Metcalf, Deceased. George P. Metcalf and Charles A. Metcalf have been appointed and qualified as Executors of the estate of Charles A. Metcalf, late of Elyria, Lorain County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 24th day of November, A. D. 1922.
H. C. WILCOX,
Probate Judge of Said County.
12-7-14-21.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of S. M. Carpenter, Deceased. Darias Carpenter has been appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of S. M. Carpenter, late of Ridgeville, Lorain County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 27th day of November, A. D. 1922.
H. C. WILCOX,
Probate Judge of Said County.
12-7-14-21.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Ora L. Wright, Deceased. Cora C. Wright has been appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Ora L. Wright, late of Elyria, Lorain County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 27th day of November A. D. 1922.
H. C. WILCOX,
Probate Judge of Said County.
12-7-14-21.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Della M. Folger, Deceased, C. M. Braman has been appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of Della M. Folger, late of Elyria, Lorain County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 29th day of November, A. D. 1922.
H. C. WILCOX,
Probate Judge of Said County.
12-7-14-21.

ATTACHMENT

John Gallo, Plaintiff,
VS.
Julius Nyerges, Defendant.

Before John C. Conaway, J. P of Elyria Township, Lorain County, Ohio.

On the 16th day of November, A. D. 1922, said justice issued an order of attachment in the above action, for the sum of $60.00.
12-14-21-28.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Department of Highways and Public Works, Division of Highways
Columbus, O., Dec. 11, 1922.
Federal Aid Project No. 294
Contract to be let on Unit Price Basis.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Director of Highways and Public Works, Division of Highways, at Columbus, Ohio, until two o'clock P. M., Friday, December 29, 1922, for improvement in:

Lorain County on Section "R" of the Oberlin-Elyria Road I. C. H. No. 313, in Carlisle Township, by grading roadway and paving with one of the following types:

Brick, including brick, estimated cost of construction.....$108,285.00
Bituminous Concrete, estimated cost of construction $96,755.30
Bitulithic, estimated cost of construction $102,252.80
Width: Pavement 20 ft.
Length 10.745 ft. or 2.035 miles.
Date set for completion, September 1, 1923.

The bidder must submit with his bid a proposal bond or certified check in an amount equal to five per cent (5 percent) of the estimated cost, but in no event more than Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00.)

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the Resident Engineer and the Department of Highways and Public Works Division of Highways.

The Director reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
LEON C. HERRICK,
Director of Highways And Public Works
12-14-21.

LEGAL NOTICE
No. 19786

Albert E. Schramm, et al., Plaintiff,
VS.
Enos B. M. Hughes, Trustee et al., Defendants

The following named defendants in the above action whose places of residence are unknown will take notice that said Plaintiff Albert E. Schramm and Katherine E. Schramm on the 20th day of November, 1922 filed their petition in said court against the defendant Enos B. M. Hughes, as trustee for William L. White and Grace White his wife; Enos B. M. Hughes, Enos B. M. Hughs, E. M. B. Hughes, Henry White as Trustee for Enos B. M. Hughs, William L. White and Grace White his wife, Louisa Hughs, Louisa W. B. Hughs, Caroline Street, Caroline M. Street, Frances Hoppin, Frances A. F. Hoppin, William L. Wright, and Grace Wright his wife, William L. Wight and Grace Wight his wife, Mr. Wight, husband of Grace Wight whose given name to Plaintiffs is unknown, Mr. Hughes, husband of Louisa W. B. Hughes whose given name is to Plaintiffs unknown, Mrs. Lawrence Wife of Daniel S. Lawrence whose given name to Plaintiff is unknown, Daniel S. Lawrence, Mrs. Schramm wife of John Schramm, Katherine Schramm, alleging that they are seized in fee simple and are in possession of the following described real estate:

Situated in the County of Lorain and State of Ohio and the Township of Russia, bounded beginning at a point on the Northerly line of Lot Not. 30 in said Township at a point 628 feet distance Easterly from the Northwest corner of said Lot; thence continuing Easterly along the Northerly line of said Lot and in the center line of said highway, a distance of 1243.17 feet to a point; thence in the center of said Highway South 71 degrees 44 minutes East a distance of 76.81 feet to a point; thence south 0 degrees 11 minutes East passing throught an iron pin on the southerly margin of said road and along the Westerly line of lands in said lot No. 30 now or formerly owned by Joseph Simms a distance of 2558.90 feet to an iron pin on the south line of said lot No. 30; thence along said lot line south 89 degrees 58 minutes West a distance of 1534.88 feet to an iron pin; thence North 1 degree 22 minutes East a distance of 961.15 feet to an iron pin; thence North 89 degrees 58 minutes East a distance of 146.16 feet to an iron pin; thence north 1 degree 22 minutes East passing through an iron pin 20 feet south of the center line of said above mentioned road a distance of 1723 feet to the center of said road and the Northerly line of said lot, being the place of beginning. Containing within said bounds 86.497 acre of land, according to a survey made by Warden & Laundon April 1, 1918.

That all of the above named defendants including their heirs, devisees, legatees, successors, assigns, creditors, claim some interest in said premises adverse to Plaintiffs said title. Plaintiffs allege that none of said defendants or persons named have any right, title or interest in or to the above described premises. Said petition further alleges that if any of said defendants or parties named ever had any right, title or interest in or to any portion of said premises or right of action against the same that more than twenty-one years elapsed between the filing of said petition and the cause of action if any there was in favor of any of said defendants against Plaintiffs or said property.

The prayer of said petition is that plaintiffs may be quieted in their title to all of said property against all of said defendants and persons named. Defendants are required to answer to said petition if they make any claim to said property on or before the 3rd day of February 1923, or judgment will be taken in favor of Plaintiff quieting their title against all of said defendants and parties.
ALBERT E. SCHRAMM and KATERINE E. SCHRAMM.
By WEBBER & WEBBER,
Their Attorneys.
12-14-21-28 1-4-11-18.

LEGAL NOTICE
NO. 19854

The defendants, Edward L. Smallwood, Mary Jane Smallwood,a minor under fourteen years of age, Patricia Smallwood, a minor under fourteen years of age, each of said minors residing with their father, the said Edward Smallwood at number 69 Arleigh Road, Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y., and Nell S. Krause, residing at 493 Summit Avenue, South Orange, N. J., will take notice that on Dec. 12, 1922, the undersigned filed his petition in the court of Common Pleas of Lorain County, Ohio, being case No. 19854 on the docket of said Court, and in said petition avers that he is entitled to an undivided one-seventh of the following real estate, in common with the above named defendants and other defendants:

"First Parcel: Situated in the City of Elyria, County of Lorain, and State of Ohio, and being the whole of lot number three hundred and forty-two (342) in Block Number forty-six (46) in said City of Elyria, except ten (10) feet from the west end there of heretofore deeded to Mary Seward; the part of said Lot No. 342 hereby intended to be conveyed is eighty-two and one-half feet front on the west side of Middle Avenue, by one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet in depth.

Second Parcel: Situated in the City of Elyria, County of Lorain, and State of Ohio, and being lot Number thirty-one (31) in S. Mendelson's Subdivision of the City of Elyria, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Vol. 7 Pages 23 and 24 of Lorain County Records of Plats.

Third Parcel: Situatel in the City of Elyria, County of Lorain, and State of Ohio, and being Four (4) rods taken from the east end of Lot Number One (1) in Block Number Thirty (30) on the east side of Middle Avenue, known and on record as Bowen and Wallace's allotment to the Village (now City) of Elyria, Ohio, and recorded in Vol. 2 Page 20 of Lorain County Records of Plats. Said piece of land is bounded on the North by lot Number Five (5) in Rood's Addition; on the east by the east line of said lot No. One, and what is known as the Egar Property; on the south by lot No. 5 in said Bowen and Wallace's addition, which is also in Block No. 30; on the west by a line north and south, in line with the west line of said lot No. 5 in said Bowen and Wallace's Addition; hereby intending to convey off the east end of said Lot. No. One, a strip the same width as said lot No. Five (5) and containing about eight rods of land, more or less.

Fourth Parcel: Situated in the Township of Ridgeville, in the County of Lorain and State of Ohio, and being parts of lots Numbers Twenty-seven (27) and Twenty-eight (28) in said Township, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing in the Southwest corner of said Lot No. twenty-eight, at a stone; thence north two degrees and fifteen minutes east, in the west line of said lot No. twenty-eight and the center of the highway, a distance of one hundred and seventy-six (176) feet; thence south eighty-seven degrees and twenty-one minutes east, a distance of two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet; thence South, two degrees and fifteen minutes west, a distance of two hundred and fifty-six and one-half (256½) feet; thence South Eighty- seven degrees and twenty-one minutes, east a distance of Two hundred and twenty-eight feet; thence South, two degrees and twenty-three minutes west a distance of two hundred and fifty-seven and one-half feet (275½) feet; thence north, eighty-seven degrees and twenty-one minutes west a distance of four hundred and fifty-two and one third (452 1-3) feet; to the center of the highway, and the west line of said lot number Twenty-seven (27) and thence North two degrees and fifteen minutes east, in the center of said road and the west line of said Lot No. 27, a distance of Three Hundred thirty-eight and two twelfths feet, to the place of beginning. According to L. A. Fauver's survey, there being 39-100 acres in said Lot number Twenty-eight and three and 01-100 acres in said Lot Number Twenty-seven.

Fifth Parcel: Situated in the Township of Ridgeville, County of Lorain and State of Ohio and being a part of Lot Number Thirty-four (34) in said Township and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Lot No. 34, and in the center of the North and South highway; thence South, in the east line of said Lot No. 34 a distance of Ninety-seven (97) feet, thence westerly parallel to the north line of said lot No. 34; a distance of two hundred and fifty (250) feet; thence north parallel to the east line of said lot No. 34, a distance of Ninety-seven (97) feet, to the north line of said lot No. 34, thence east in the north line of Lot No. 34, a distance of two hundred and fifty (250) feet to the place of beginning. Also the right to use a strip of land nine (9) feet in width, and adjoining the south line; said Nine foot strip to be used by Catherine Smallwood, her heirs and assigns as a driveway in common with one Sadie A. Baird and her heirs and assigns."

The prayer of said petition is that said property may be partitioned and the interest of the plaintiff set off to him. The above named defendants are required to answer on or before the 3rd day of February 1923, or judgment will be taken against them as prayed for.
WILLIAM T. SMALLWOOD,
By ROGERS & COHEN and STROUP & RICE,
His Attorneys.
12-14-21-28 1-4-11-18.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

LADIES—Mrs. Chas. Berg, Mrs. Fred G. Brown, Mrs. C. E. Bishop, Mrs. D. C. Charles, Edith Dedrich, Mrs. Joseph Fleischman, Miss Sadie Godett, Miss Mary Gunder, Mrs. Charles G. Gurnham, Miss Harriot Hart, Mrs. John F. Haddow, Mrs. Geo. F. Harmuth, Miss Esther Hastings, Mrs. Anna Jordan, Miss Helen Lake, Miss A. Lewis (2), Miss Clara Martin, Mrs. Bessie Moore (2), Mrs. Beckie Negley, Mrs. Annie Perry, Mrs. Reisinger, Mrs. Lilly Richard, Mrs. E. F. Rice, Mrs. John Sayers, Anna Smith, Mrs. Bert Stearns, Mrs. H. Thompson, Miss Ethel Warrin.

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MY MARRIAGE PROBLEMS

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What the Telegram Compelled Madge to Do.

I PUT out my hand mechanically and took the yellow envelope which the old man had brought to me from the station agent.

"You're sure you're Mis' Graham?" he repeated, and I saw that senility sat heavily upon him. "The agent wouldn't like it if I giv' it to anybody else."

"Yes, yes, I am Mrs. Graham," I repeated impatiently. "You said just now that Mrs. Barker pointed me out to you."

"But her eyesight isn't as good as it used to be," he retorted. "She might be mistaken, and then I'd be in a pretty pickle."

"But she wasn't mistaken," I said curtly. "This telegram is mine. Is there anything to pay?" I opened my purse, which, from sheer force of habit, I had carried out-of-doors with me.

"No, ma'am. I was comin' this way anyway."

"But you'll take this for your trouble, won't you?" I held out a coin.

"I don't want nuthin' for en accommodation," he protested, but I saw his eyes fixed longingly upon the piece of silver.

"It isn't pay for the service, it's just a little present I'd like to give you." I said coaxingly, for I knew from other days of the stubborn pride of these old mountaineers, but I knew also the pitiful lack of money which some among them experience.

He hesitated a second longer before taking the coin and pocketing it with a heartfelt "thanky." Then he moved on his way up the mountain road, but I saw him give one or two backward glances as if he were still doubtful of my right to the telegram.

A Cryptic Message.

I had torn the envelope open while I was getting rid of him, but for a second or two, which seemed hours, I could not force myself to read the message. There was but one house from which this message could have come, and that my own, for no one save the members of that household knew my whereabouts.

I have not the nervous fear of telegrams which many women have, for our household is well accustomed to casual and business messages by wire. But when I am away from Junior, especially since the terrible time of his kidnapping, I am never free from a haunting fear for his safety, and it was that dread which paralyzed my fingers until I forced them into action.

But there was no word of Junior, save the last words, "Everybody well," in the brief cryptic message signed "Lillian" which stared up at me from the yellow page when I had unfolded it.

"Plan you counted on slipped up unexpectedly. Runabout left three this morning. Speedy driver. Better hasten departure."

Madge Acts Quickly.

For a blank, dazed second or two I wondered if Lillian suddenly had taken leave of her senses, or—if I had lost mine, for I could make nothing of the words. But realization quickly came to me, and I caught my breath in dismay as I interpreted the words in which Lillian had clothed her message so that no one but I should know what she meant.

Dr. Pettit, of course!

A little cold chill ran over me as I remembered the flaming, almost murderous look in his eyes when he had declared his intention of thrashing Dicky within an inch of his life, because of his escapade with Claire Foster.

Lillian had declared that she and my father would keep him from his expressed determination to go at once in search of my husband, and I had rested securely in the belief that they had been able to thwart his proposed journey. Lillian's message, however, spelled a very lively danger, not physical, for I believed Dicky to be more than a match for the saturnine physician, but I had a vivid vision of the publicity which would ensue should the two men come together. All my labor and anxiety would be wasted.

With the steadying of will and nerves which generally comes to me in emergencies, I read the telegram over again slowly and carefully. "Runabout left three this morning. Speedy driver." Lillian had emphasized our common knowledge that no driver in the country was more of a dare-devil or could get more out of a car than could Herbert Pettit. Barring accident, he would have covered the hundred miles to the city long before traffic started, and thus be assured of a clear passage through the city and across the ferry. And the roads on the west side of the Hudson were wonderful. He must be within an hour of Caldwin at least!

If I managed to elude him, and get Dicky away from the Caldwin hotel, I must hurry, Hurry, HURRY.

The words beat themselves into a crescendo as I turned and almost ran back to the Barker house.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

William Honecker, trustee, to Arthur Lange, lot 106 Stang's second ad to Lorain, $1.00.

Aurilla Bliss to Thomas Brown, 82 acres in Huntington and Spencer, $5,000.

D. J. Hollis to William F. Meister, lot 17, Mendelson's ad to Elyria $500.

Carl Coleman et al to Elmer Monroe, lot 1, Garvin's ad to Lorain, $2,500.

International Realty Co. to Karolina Bilka, lot 30 and lot 9, Central division, Sheffield allotment, $1,500.

Georgia B. Gibbs, to T. T. Rooney, lot 28, pt of lot 30, Kipton, $2,000.

George Freezes to Walter Bylica lot 3, Carlisle tp., $5000.

Walter Bylica to George Freezes, pt. of lot 3, Carlisle, $1,100.

William A. Miller admr., to Bertha Albrecht, 42 acres, Brownhelm $6000.

Harriet Quayle to E. G. Sweet, pt. of lot 14, Oberlin, $5000.

Charles A. Barth to Hobart Marsh, lot 154 Hill Realty Co's second ad to Elyria, $5,500.

Mary McGuire to Wladyslaw Kachel, lot 23, Chamberlain's ad to Lorain, $7000.

Hugh Eastburn to Nellie Beckett, lot 21-22 Federal Home ad to Lorain, $1,500.

BELLAIRE, Dec. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Workman celebrated the 67th anniversary of their marriage in their home near here. They were married in St. Clairsville December 14, 1855, by Dr. James D. Moffatt, later president of the Washington & Jefferson college and had 16 children, 15 of whom are living. Mr. Workman is 89 and his wife 84.

BUCYRUS, Dec. 21—Upwards of twenty square inches of skin from other parts of the body were transplanted to the injured leg of Chas. Boyer, injured railway conductor who was run over by his own engine about a month ago. The operation was performed at a local hospital and has every indication of having been successfully performed.

TIME TABLE
LAKE SHORE ELECTRIC RY.
Time Table Effective Sept. 11, 1922
(From Lorain Eastern Time.)
10:50, East to Cleveland — 7:50 8:50 a. m.; 12:50, 2:50, 4:50, 6:50, 8:50 10:50 p. m. Locals hourly from 4:25 a. m. until 10:25 p. m.
Limited west to Vermilion, Berlin Heights, Norwalk, Sandusky, Clyde Bellevue, Fremont, Fostoria, Findlay Lima, Toledo and Detroit—6:30, 8:30, 10:30 a. m.; 12:30, 2:30, 4:30, 6:30 8:30 p. m.
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THE "FATTY" ARBUCKLE RE-INSTATEMENT.

Will Hays' re-instatement of "Fatty" Arbuckle to the movies is an insult to public morals and decency It is not in the spirit of persecution that we follow up this man It is in the interest of public morals. The immoralities and the lawlessness of the California moving picture colony have become a national disgrace. Brutality, unnatural vices, dope parties, drunkenness, and even murder have disgraced this festering moral plague spot. And the time has come to speak out against it.

The high-salaried lieutenant of the moving picture crowd, who was given the job of cleaning up the movies, has been very active in removing censorship over the country. But in the face of this last action, re-instating one of the worst offenders, who, unless we are mistaken, has never been cleared of the charge which brought about the death of Virginia Rappe, the censorship ought to be clapped on tighter than ever before. Behind the Presbyterian elder who was to reform the movies, we may see the shadow of a group of men who care nothing for decency or morality when money is to be made.

A million dollars or more of Arbuckle films are tied up, and though Mr. Hays says that these are not to be released, we may say that we still have a few companies of marines to whom he can tell that sort of stuff. Frankly, we say we don't believe it. And we dare hazard the guess that it is not the spirit of forgiveness that has made for "Fatty's" re-instatement, but the spirit of avarice.

Just think of the boys and girls of this whole nation being called on to laugh at the antics of a man whose character was a disgrace, and who stands charged with excesses that ought to make him the subject for hissing. Mr. Hays assures us that "Fatty" has been living a prosaic life. Perhaps he has. But has he ever spoken one word of repentance? Has he ever acted any other than the man who was caught with the goods, and tried to squawk out of it?

We do not believe that the gang running the moving picture industry can get away with it by skulking behind their $150,000 a year Presbyterian elder. The people are going to have something to say. The familiar figure of "Fatty" may provoke something other than laughter when he appears upon the screen again. It may be that owners of picture houses will be forced to include "Fatty's" films in their list because of the monopolistic control of the film lords. But the people cannot be forced to look with patience upon the antics of a man who has been proven to be morally rotten. Mr. Hays may re-instate "Fatty"; but he will have the outraged moral sense of the people yet to reckon with. The public is tolerant in many things; but an offense like that which brought about the death of Virginia Rappe is hissed in every melo-drama from the most fashionable playhouse on Broadway to the murkiest joint on the Bowery.

We believe that if ever the "Fatty" films appear in Elyria, Mr. Hays will learn what the people of this city think about the matter.

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The all but unanimous sentiment as expressed in the conclave of governors, is that prohibition shall be enforced not weakened. How could men of the caliber of governors do anything short of this?

UNDER THE MISTLETOE

YESTERDAYS IN OHIO

1862—Charles P Taft Cincinnati newspaper publisher and brother of Chief Justice Taft born in Cincinnati

1869—A meeting was called at Springfield to organize the Central Ohio Teachers Association

1870—Gen Robert C Schenck of Ohio was appointed United States Minister to Great Britain

1896—Cincinnati annexed at area of 12 square miles

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

British and French premiers decided to call a meeting of the Supreme Council of the League of Nations to consider reparations

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

Lynn J Frazier, United States senator-elect from North Dakota born in Steele county, Minn, 48 years ago today

Dr Edward C Elliott, the new president of Purdue University, born in Chicago 48 years ago today

Thomas C McRae the present governor of Arkansas born at Mt. Holly, Ark, 61 years ago today

Adele Ritchie, long a favorite of the American stage, born in Philadelphia 48 years ago today

Fred Williams, outfielder of the Philadelphia National league baseball team, born at Wadena, Ind. 34 years ago today

TO-DAY

Last day of Autumn

Festival of St Thomas Didymus, patron saint of Portugal

Observance of Forefathers' Day, in commemoration of the landing of the Pilgrims

Centenary of the birth of Beverly B Douglas Confederate soldier and a Virginia representative in Congress

Rt Rev Edward F Hoban, auxiliary bishop of the Catholic diocese of Chicago today celebrates the first anniversary of his consecration

Rt Rev Leo Haid Vicar General of North Carolina and Abbot of Belmont Abbey today celebrates the golden jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood

Republican members of the Ohio State senate are to hold a caucus in Columbus today to organize for the coming session of the State legislature

The latest wonders of wireless are to be demonstrated to the public at the American Radio Exposition which opens in New York City today for a week's engagement

ABE MARTIN

Dr Mopps gives it as his opinion that McIntire & Heath wouldn' live if they wuz scared Unless Mrs Hohenzollern is a home body she's out o' luck

KOMICAL TELEGRAMS

By JIM ARMITAGE, Himself

Late announcements tell about 'Vic' Donahey going to be inaugurated Governor with a very simple ceremony

Now it's easy to read between the lines and discover "Vic's" secret. You know he's got a family of about ten kids—and just between you and me, he can't stand the pressure

When a fellow's going to "step out" now a days, he's got to stop and think before he can say re whether his wife's got anything to wear

If the Governor has to buy some new scenery for the Missus and all the kids, can you blame him for having a simple ceremony?

He may start out leading the simple life but it's a good bet that he has a two gallon hat before he's in the chair two weeks.

If the rest of them let the rest of the world go by friends wife will see that he looks all right

If those ten kids ever get loose around the State House he'll be too busy to do any "governing" for that day

Now that he's Governor he'll have to keep the kids dressed up to the job and that costs money I know because I'm president of the Fish and Game club

Making it "Democratic" may be his reason

And they say "He's a smart bird" He may figure the 'Dems' don't get into power very often and he may not get wear enough out of a frock coat to justify the expense

Bet Dukeman will get peeved when he gets fired if it's "informal"

Remember old Omar wrote about, "The ROSE that never bloomed so red, or something like that You don't suppose he meant any of Elyria's ROSES, do you"

Duffy ran against him and now he gives him a $6500 job If he ran the campaign I'll bet he'd like to have given him arsenic

I suppose Thompson sent the Governor a Christmas card He probably quoted Kipling, "You're a better man than I am Gunga Din

I'd like to be at the inauguration to see the Democrats walk in and the Republicans walk out singing "We have met the enemy and we are his'n"

Congratulations Mister Governor everybody's pulling for you Of course at next election time—well that's different

20 Years Ago

ed a 'Kermiss" or German festival dance at the opera house that was participated in by 150

THE NEW FIVE STORY MASONIC temple was nearing completion, and was ready for the roof to be put on

MISS LOUISE DE LANO Lersch was united in marriage to John Robert Gobey, of Columbus by Rev F C Eldred at the family home on Washington avenue

THE ELECTRIC LINE BETWEEN here and Oberlin was placed in operation, and cars were being run on a two hours schedule

THE CITY'S FIRE ENGINE was sent to Cleveland to be fitted out with new boiler tubes

TRIPS OF A BEER WAGON between Elyria and Oberlin were halted when Mayor Fauver of Oberlin issued a warrant for the driver of the wagon

WHO'S WHO IN THE DAY'S NEWS

JUDGE ROBERT VON MOSCHZISKER.

Robert Von Moschzisker, chief justice of the supreme court of Pennsylvania, is most prominently mentioned for justice of the supreme court of the United States to succeed Justice Mahlon H. Pitney, soon to retire

R. VON MOSCHZISKER

The Pennsylvania justice is comparatively young, having been born in 1870. His father was of Polish extraction and his mother was American.

He was educated in public schools and began his law education at the age of thirteen when he entered the office of Edward Shippen as errand boy Later he studied law under his employer and without ever having gone to a law school he was admitted to the bar in 1896 Since then he has worked his way up to the reputation of being one of the ablest lawyers in the state of Pennsylvania He has been assistant district attorney of Philadelphia, judge of the court of the common pleas, justice of the supreme court of Pennsylvania and chief justice since 1921

Von Moschzisker is a Republican His home is in Philadelphia.

POEMS THAT LIVE

TO THE FRINGED GENTIAN

Thou blossom bright with autumn dew,
And colored with the heaven's own blue
That openest when the quiet light
Succeeds the keen and frosty night

Thou comest not when violets lean
O'er wandering brooks and springs unseen
Or columbines, in purple dressed,
Nod o'er the ground-bird's hidden nest

Thou waitest late, and comest alone,
When woods are bare and birds are flown,
And frosts and shortening days portend
The aged year is near his end

Then doth thy sweet and quiet eye
Look through its fringes to the sky,
Blue—blue—as if that sky let fall
A flower from its cerulean wall

I would that thus when I shall see
The hour of death draw near to me,
Hope, blossoming within my heart,
May look to heaven as I depart

-- William Cullen Bryant.

LOGAN, Dec 21—The American Legion Band of this city is planning a series of winter benefit concerts This organization is made up of a large number of expert musicians and scored several big hits last summer

BELFAST, Dec 21—Due to disturbances along the Ulster border the free state is dispatching troops there, according to advices received here today.

TIMELY VIEWS ON WORLD TOPICS

"The women of China are flocking to colleges and doing away with ancient costumes that for centuries have impeded their progress" says Mrs Thedeus C White, wife of a well known mining engineer Before her marriage she was Princess Der Ling of China "I am as proud of the country of my American husband as of the country of my native land The Chinese have great respect for America. My sister and I received our education in Paris when my father Lord Yu Keng was Ambassador there When it became known in the royal circles of Peking where I was attending to the dowager Empress of China, that Ku Yeng's daughters were attending a foreign institution, an unsuccessful attempt was made to impeach him as pro-foreign and revolutionary But China is so old—it is hard for her to accept new ideas

PRINCESS DER LING

"CULTURAL NATIONALISM HOPE OF WORLD," SAYS EDITOR.

"We must substitute for political nationalism a cultural nationalism that will convert world politics into a competition in excellence instead of a competition in armies if the door is to be closed to a new dark 'age' says Glenn Frank, editor of The Century

All signs indicate that the world is not ready for an internationalism in the form of a super-policeman" he continues I think the world needs a super-policeman I am saying only that there seems to be little chance of installing him now But the fact remains that the modern world is an economic unit

"When we have brought enough economic problems under international control we shall discover that with the slightest co-ordination of the various international boards and committees we shall have a realistic League of Nations, as contrasted with the political League of Nations the proposal of which was the signal for American political opinion to disintegrate into a score of warring camps."

PRESIDENT HARDING FILES RECOMMENDATIONS

WASHINGTON Dec 20—The following nominations were sent to the senate today by President Harding

To be United State judge for the western district of Pennsylvania, Frederic P Shoonmaker.

To be members of the interstate commerce commission, Charles G McChord of Kentucky and Joseph B Eastman of Massachusetts, both reappointments

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HUNT SHOOTER OF SNOWBALLER ON TRAIN HERE

The Cleveland police department asked the Elyria police to search an incoming freight train last evening, stating that someone on the train had fired a revolver at two boys who were snowballing the train as it was passing.

Frank Medesh, 14, was struck in the abdomen and the leg, and is now in St. Luke's hospital in a critical condition. His brother Rudolph Medesh, who was with him was uninjured.

Officers Waldron and Brown, were detailed to search the train, and met it when it stopped at the east side coal docks. They interviewed the members of the crew, and F. R. Momson, of Toledo, flagman in the train, stated that a snowball had hit him in the mouth. He also stated that he did not shoot at the boys and never carried a revolver. All the members of the crew denied any knowledge of the affair, and no revolvers could be found on the train.

The report of the search was wired to the Cleveland police department.

MRS. BRUNEN IS FREED IN MURDER

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., Dec. 21.—Declaring that the verdict of guilty rendered yesterday against her husband, Harry C. Mohr, for the killing of "Honest John" Brunen, circus owner, was unjust, Mrs. Bessie C. Hohr said today that it was not the end of the case but that action would be taken to have a new trial.

Mrs. Doris Brunen, wife of the murdered man who was acquitted by the jury, signified her intention of helping toward an acquittal of her brother.

Mohr will be sentenced January 9. The verdict of guilty was accompanied by a recommendation of life imprisonment.

Mrs. Brunen collapsed when she saw Mohr leaving the courtroom to go to his cell, manacled to constable Jacobs.

Mrs. Mohr, weeping, clasped her husband in her arms and struggled to keep near him as he was being led away.

"I will stand by him until he is cleared as I know he will be," she said today.

"He is a brave man and he is in the right. I only ask the world to reserve judgment on my husband Sooner or later he will be set free."

Harness Company

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ernment $215,000 on a government claim of $500,000, and we have indemnity bonds for $300,000 to protect the government for the balance," said Anderson. "We have found nothing criminal in this case, and have told Briggs and Puravis they will have to go into the court of claims to contest on their damage claim against the government"

Government suits, civil or criminal or both, are soon to be brought against Thomas Roberts and Company, Philadelphia, in connection with surplus meat sales to the concern by the war department, it was stated by C. Frank Reavis, special assistant attorney general.

Probe Meat Frauds

"I don't want to go into this matter at length," said Reavis. "It has been a difficult investigation involving much money. Vast quantities of surplus army meat were sold at a very low price under conditions which we have investigated. We have made a thorough probe. The prosecution of the inquiry has been expensive, and will be more costly but a large sum of money is involved. We are preparing to go ahead within a month and suits, civil or criminal or both, are to be brought into the courts."

Special assistant attorney general Reavis said there was no doubt the government owed Kenyon and Company, New York, $200,000 on contracts, but the government claimed certain setoffs and this claim would have to go to the court of claims for settlement.

"There is no evidence of criminality or anything incorrect in his case," said Reavis.

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ASKS $10,000 HEART BALM

Joseph Endtral, of Lorain, filed a $10,000 damage suit today against Lorincz Bogman, who he charges with alienating the affections of Mrs. Magdalena Endrai.

In the petition he alleges that Bognan lived in his home and that Mrs. Endrai is the defendant's step daughter. He charges that the defendant contrived by insinuations and criticism of the plaintiff to entice the plaintiff's wife to leave him, and that he threatened to cut her off from certain property if she did not do so. He also charges adultery between the two Mrs. Endrai and her three children have left the plaintiff and are now living in the home of the defendant.

State to Rest

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C. K. McDowell, superintendent of the mine, it is assumed.

Travillion admitted on cross examination that he and Otis Clark had had a disagreement over a garage bill. Clark claimed it was too high.

C. P. Shaffner, a salesman for the Ellis Supply Company, hardware department, told of a crowd coming into his store and his refusal to let them have the guns and charge them to "the Herrin local." Hugh Willis, Shafffner said came in a little later. This was at 11:15 o'clock the morning of June 21, he said. Another bunch came in after Willis had conferred with the proprietor of the store.

"They didn't ask me this time," he said. "I headed them off, saying 'you can't have them without an order from Hugh Willis."

Orders Ammunition

"A little later some one called me up and said 'this is Hugh Willis.' I recognized his voice. I said 'some of the boys want to get some ammunition to shoot some birds. Put it down to me.'

"I wasn't there when the big crowd came and got the guns. I was at the bank. They got approximately 12 shot guns, rifles and revolvers. I hid from 20 to 25 guns before the last crowd came. They got about 300 boxes of ammunition of all kinds.

"Three weeks afterwards Rollie Cravens (one of the indicted men) came in and I asked him about whether to charge these guns and ammunition to him. He said not to charge them to him."

Shaffner, on cross examination said he couldn't be sure it was Willis talking over the phone and that the man who said he was Willis, told him "I'll try to talk them out of it."

No bill has ever been presented to Willis for the supplies, the witness admitted.

MARION, Ills., Dec. 21.—The state expects to rest its case today.

A few minor witnesses remain to be put on but the main story is in and the star witnesses now have told their stories to the jury. Each of the five defendants have been connected by at least one witness with either the direct shooting of some of the mob victims or have been identified as accompanying victims of the mob's wrath, gun in hand, only a few moments before their deaths.

Otis Clark has been identified as leading C. K. McDowell down the lane at Meake's crossing where his body was discovered a short time after he was led away.

Joe Carnaghi, Dr. O. F. Shipman testified shot Howard Hoffman, for whose murder the five are being tried. He also declared he saw Leava Mann shooting into the six men tied by the neck in the roadway at the Herrin cemetery.

Wounded Man Escapes

Peter Hiller shot one of the men in the power house woods, according to the testimony of William Cairns, one of the guards who was wounded but escaped from his pursuers.

Bert Grace has twice been brought into the evidence as the man who stood, gun in hand, by the bodies of the six at the cemetery and drove away a man who wanted to give them a drink.

Dr. John W. Wallance, of Marion testified that he had heard Grace boast of this act which Donald M. Ewing, a Chicago reporter, testified to as an eye witness last week. Ewing declared Grace drove him away when he brought water to the wounded.

The state, despite unwilling witnesses, has built upa stronger case than was expected.

The defense is now preparing for a mighty attack upon it. They may get a start today but the attorneys say they will start with the soft pedal and increase their strength gradually.

They expect to prove that it was physically impossible for Ewing to have reached Marion at 8:52 a. m., taken a taxi to the strip mine and get to the Herrin cemetery in time to see the bodies in the road before they were taken to the hospital and morgue. The shooting there has been placed at about 9 o'clock, eight minutes after Ewing's arrival in Marion, ten miles away. The removal of the bodies has not been timed in the testimony so far.

Doctor Testifies

Dr. O. F. Shipman, the most damaging of the witnesses so far as proving the murder of Hoffman by any of the defendants, the defense says can completely discredit and will prove that his testimony is unworthy of credence by a number of witnesses.

They will also produce alibis for all the defendants except Otis Clark they say. They will endeavor to prove that his speech at Crenshaw crossing, interpreted as urging the mob to murder, was in reality a plea for them not to commit any acts of violence. They have a list of more than 200 witnesses.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. — Drug raiders, following the "poppy path," invaded the heart of Greenwich village today, arresting five men after a desperate battle in a dark room.

ATTEMPTING TO SOLVE PROBLEM ON REPARATION

NEW YORK, Dec 21 — Owen D. Barnes, president of the United States chamber of commerce today officially confirmed that the United States government is exploring all avenues in an effort to assist the allies to solve the German reparations issue. He denied that the initiative to have the United States intervene had originated with Chancellor Wilhelm Cuno, of Germany, as reported.

"The whole thing is in the hands of the United States government at Washington and the U S chamber of commerce is interested only as a means of s... world's business," said Barnes. Asked whether he believed that Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, would accept the post of American reparations commissioner Barnes said:

"The whole thing is up to officials in Washington and of course I cannot speak for Mr. Hoover. The idea of American participation originated with American officials at Washington. It is not true that the initiative was taken by Chancellor Cuno of Germany and that proposals were made to Secretary of state Hughes through the United States chamber of commerce.

"The proposal for American action is part of a general movement on the part of the leading powers of the world which are coming to realization that the German reparations problem must be settled quickly. American officials are exploring every possible avenue in the hope of assisting the foreign powers in a solution of this problem.

"Business stability demands that the present uncertainty be ended as quickly as possible. Officials believe that no time should be lost in fixing the exact amount that Germany is to pay. It is believed further that American participation will greatly aid a settlement."

It is understood that the return of George Harvey, American ambassador to England, is connected with the move for American participation in a reparations settlement. He will sail from England Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. — Behind a barrier of official silence, tightly maintained in the face of all rumors and reports, the United States government is engaged in a strenuous effort to find a solution for the reparations question that will be acceptable to French and British interests, and possible of fulfillment by Germany.

To be effective, the solution must be found within the next ... days, or before the Franco British breach is widened at the meeting of the premiers in January, and there is every reason to believe the American government will have something concrete to propose in the way of adjustment before the premiers' meeting is adjourned.

CHRISTMAS MEET OF KIWANIS CLUB TODAY

The Kiwanis club met at noon today, and were addressed of Rev J. H. Grant, who talked upon the spirit of Christmas, and what it meant to the community. He called attention to what the Kiwanis and other clubs could do to foster the real Christmas spirit, for in so doing they would but be following out the true object of the organization, which is to not only help others, and the community at large, but themselves as well.

It was announced that arrangements were being made for the annual New Year's party which will be held at Alber's villa, on New Year's night, for the members, their wives and friends.

BENEFIT SHOW HERE.

There will be a special children's movie film Saturday morning, through the kindness of Mr. Bannon and under the auspices of the Child Welfare department of the Woman's Civic club

It is to be shown twice at the Colonial theatre, beginning at 9:00 o'clock.

The admission will be four potatoes, toys, jelly or canned fruit, which will be given to the Salvation Army for distribution among the needy of the city.

A committee of six or more ladies will be at the theatre during both shows

Whiskey Toter Given Pen Term And $2,000 Fine

NEWARK, O., Dec 21 August Sissea, convicted for the third time for illegal sale of liquor, was given a sentence of from ... five years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $2,000. A stay of execution was granted and Sissea placed under $5,000 bond awaiting the hearing in the court of appeals Sissea was former national treasurer for the Roumanian beneficiary society and founder of the Greek Orthodox church in this city.

PARIS, Dec. 21 - Fantastic claims of Madame Leotardi, a Corsican, to an annual legacy of $5,000,000 from the estate of Mrs. Lillian Fair Haller of Boston, on the condition that she supervise the caretaking of animals that Mrs. Heller had presented to zoos in America, England and France, are being investigated by Parisian police.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 While in executive session this afternoon, the senate agreed to adjourn from Saturday, December 23, to Wednesday December 27.

FINE PRINCIPAL FOR THRASHING SCHOOL YOUTH

HERKIMER, N. Y., Dec. 21.—What is a split infinitive?

Can you answer that question?

Do you think an eighth grade school pupil should receive a thrashing if he can't answer it?

This last is a question which today has divided East Herkimer, near here into two warring factions

Principal Robert H. Petrie, of the district school at East Herkimer thought inability to answer the question was ground for corporal punishment, and thrashed 15 year old Charles Engell, when he failed to give a correct definition

Justice of the peace Charles H. Goodrich disagreed fith Petrie and fined him $25 when Pomroy A. Engell, the boy's father had Petrie arrested on a charge of assault.

The entire school dsitrict is up in arms over the incident.

PAROLE GIRL CONVICTED OF SLAYING LOVER

AKRON Dec. 21.—Daisy Pitts, 16 year old school girl of Cuyahoga Falls, near here, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in common pleas court today and was given a term in Marysville reformatory, which was suspended by Judge W. J. Ahern.

She was indicted for fatally shooting Tony Marcella, twice her age, because as she stared on the stand, he persisted in forcing his attention on her, threatening to kill her and himself if she rejected him. The murder took place on the porch of the child's home. She fired the fatal bullet through a screen door while the man was pleading for an interview. She will resume her school work.

MORE DOW TAX CASES DROPPED

Judge H G. Redington yesterday granted two more permanent injunctions to prevent the county auditor from collecting $1200 liquor tax and penalty. Both cases were from Lorain, and were brought by Andy Bereznay and Andy Bedics. The court took the same position as in previous cases, that if the defendants swore that they had no knowledge that liquor was being sold on their premises, it was up to the State to refute their testimony. There was no evidence presented by the State in these cases and the injunction prayed for was granted.

WORLD MEETING

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1000 tons standard displacement, or less, and of aircraft."

It was Borah who opened the fight for a world disarmament conference when the navy appropriation bill was before the senate two years ago which resulted in President Harding calling the Washington conference that fixed the 5-5-3 naval limitation agreement.

In explanation of his action Borah today issued the following statement

"We are traveling in a vicious ...

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Possessing four times as many steel sea going merchant ships over 10,000 tons as the United States, Great Britain already has a great second line of maritime defense which would place the American nation at a grave disadvantage in the event of war, Senator Calder, republican of New York, told the senate this afternoon in urging the passage of the ship subsidy bill as a "preparedness measure of the highest importance."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. — The ship subsidy filibuster was halted abruptly in the senate this afternoon when administration leaders arranged a closed executive session to force action on the nomination of Pierce Butler, St. Paul lawyer, as associate justice of the United States supreme court.

WHITEWASHING

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foremost movie managers had this to say:

"None of the big theatres will show Arbuckle's presentations. They will be shown in the smaller houses. The managers of the large houses will watch the reception given the actor and the size of the crowds If they see that Fatty has staged a real comeback, they will use his films

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 21.—The showing of any picture in which Arbuckle is featured is to be opposed by the city federation of women's clubs. Speaking on behalf of the moving picture committee of the federation, Mrs. Chas. Sigesmond, chairman, declared today that Will Hays has deceived the people

"Hays promised the women who met at the national convention of federated clubs at Chautauqua last summer that Arbuckle would not again be allowed to appear in films," she said. "Now he reinstated the comedian. It is an outrage."

Mayor Schwab has not yet made up his mind whether he will permit Arbuckle films to be shown in Buffalo.

Many pink flowers may be turned blue by exposing them to the fumes of ammonia for a few minutes, and blue flowers become pink when exposed to acids.

MISS IVA M. DAWLEY OF EATON MARRIED TO RAYMOND COFFMAN

EATON, O., DECEMBER 21.—A beautiful home wedding occurred at the residence of Mrs Mary Dawley, Wednesday afternoon, uniting in wedlock her youngest daughter, Iva M. to Mr. Raymond Coffman of Cleveland

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H Goldner of the Euclid avenue Christian church, Cleveland, where both contracting parties are members, before, an improvised altar of begonias, chrysanthemums and ferns, just at sunset

The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white brocaded georgette with side panels and trimmed with rosebuds of plain georgette.

Preceding the bride to the altar came her two nieces, little Eula Ruth Dawley, as flower girl, dressed in rose colored dotted swiss, carrying a basket of sweet peas which she scattered along the way, and Miss Helen Dawley as maid of honor wearing a gown of Alice blue crepe-de-chine with side panels and beading and carrying a basket of yellow buttonhole chrysanthemums. The bride, who was given in marriage by her eldest brother, Perry, carried a bouquet of ophelia roses.

Just before the ceremony Mrs. Cora Mills, of Columbia sweetly sang "For You Alone," accompanied at the piano by Mr Krause, also of Columbia. The Mendelssohn wedding march was used, played by Mr Krause.

Ten were seated at the bride's table where the color scheme of pink and white was daintily carried out in the decorations. Two large pink candles in glass candlesticks tied with bows of pink tulle gave light to the scene as the shadows of night deepened outside.

A delicious four-course supper consisting of chilled fruit and wafers, creamed chicken, mashed potatoes, rolls, pickles, jelly, fluffy salad, brick ice cream with a wedding bell in the center, cake, candies salted almonds and coffee was served by four friends of the bride. Little pink and white baskets filled with candies were used as favors.

Many choice gifts of linen, china, cut glass and silver were received by the happy couple.

Guests were present from Newark, Cleveland, Oberlin, Galion, Elyria, Columbia and Eaton

Mr and Mrs Coffman will reside in Cleveland.

Mrs. Mame Cornish, Mrs George Cornish and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cornish were in Cleveland shopping last Friday.

The Christmas entertainment will be given at the church Tuesday evening, December 26. The classes up to the intermediate will bring gifts for the Christian Orphanage and the older classes will bring gifts of money which will be divided equally between the Armenian Relief.

Mr. and Mrs H. M. Howard and family were callers at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Strickland Sunday afternoon.

Maurice Hills, son of Mr and Mrs. George Hills, of Chestnut Ridge, is ill with scarlet fever.

Clyde Crowell has secured a position as bookkeeper for a firm in Cleveland.

Miss Pyrle Cornish is coming home from Battle Creek, Michigan, this week to spend the holidays with her family.

Mr. and Mrs John Hennie and Mr. and Mrs Harry Garrett were guests of M. Hopwood and family Sunday.

Mrs. M C Ross returned Sunday from spending a week with her daughter in Elyria.

Mrs. Walter Harwedel has been suffering the past week from an injury to her back caused by a fall

Ralph Hopwood of Sandusky, spent a couple of days recently with her brother, M Hopwood and family.

Mr. and Mrs J. L. Ross and son Eugene of Wellington were the dinner guests Sunday of Burton Ross and family.

COUNTY BEE KEEPERS NAME TWO DELEGATES

OBERLIN, Dec. 21.—The Lorain County Beekeepers Association in Oberlin Tuesday evening with a good attendance present. A communication was read from the Chief entomologist, E C Cotton of Columbus, in regard to the Apiary Inspection for Lorain County.

The following delegates were elected to attend the State Beekeepers meeting to be held in Columbus January 29, 1923 (Farmers Week.) Floyd Buswell of LaGrange, C. E. Hurlbut of Amherst with Miss Violet Fowles as alternate.

Two resolutions were placed before the house, one to change the ending of the Lorain county Bee Associations fiscal year from Oct. 1 to January 1, 1923. The other to place the past president as a member of the Executive committee These to be voted on at next meeting in Elyria January 22, 1923.

Officers of the State Association are:

President, Dr. Ernest Kron, Grover Hill, O.

Vice President, Mr. F. E. Schriver, Grafton, O.

Secretary, Prof. J. H. Hines, Columbus, O.

Assistant Secretary, Miss Florence Naile, Columbus, O.

MEXICAN PETROLEUM TAKES 62 POINT JUMP

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A rise of 62 points in Mexican Petroleum on about half a dozen sales of one hundred shares each supplied the feature to the stock market today. The stock sold up to 329, jumping five points and more between sales. Only a limited amount of Mexican Petroleum is outstanding and the spectacular advance is generally attributed to inside manipulation.

Salvation Army Kettle Offering Coming in Slow

The tinkle of the Salvation Army bells are heard on Broad street in several places, but the public is not responding according to Capwin Heddle. He states that money collections are coming in very slow, and that the Army can not do what they desire unless the public responds more liberally. Any contribution will be welcomed, and the money will help bring Christmas cheer to those who need it most.

SOUTH RIDGE

By Mrs. J. P. Bechtel

SOUTH RIDGE, Dec. 21.—A Christmas entertainment will be given here at the church on Sunday morning, December 24th, beginning at 9:30 a. m.

The Woman's Missionary Society will hold a New Year's party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Decker of North Ridge on Friday evening, December 29th. A tureen supper will be served.

Mrs. Walter Grobe entertained the D. D. club members at a Christmas party on Saturday afternoon. The home was beautifully decorated with the keeping of the Christmas season. There were ten members and eight junior members present. A Christmas program was enjoyed by all, at the close of the program Old Santa arrived and distributed gifts to every one. The following members were present: Mrs. Henry Kolbe, Jr., and son Melvin, Mrs. William Ruth and daughter Rosemary, of Middle Ridge; Mrs. Edwin Schubert, Town Line, North; Mrs. H. Hall and sons, Oberlin Road; Miss Louise Schmidkons, North Ridge; Mrs. Albert Vietzen and children, Elyria; Mrs. Newton Bechtel, Middle Ridge; Miss Florence Dramm and Mrs. Ralph Fowl, of this place The visitors present were Mrs Lewis Grobe and Misses Alberta and Marian Spiegelberg, of Middle Ridge.

John Snyder, of Norwalk, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Gertrude Snyder.

Misses Lucile Burrer and Ruth Hunger of West Ridge, spent over Thursday evening with Miss Pearl Eppley.

Mrs. Moses Eppley and son Milton called on Mrs G. W. Spiegelberg on Townline Road on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Madill and Mrs. Adam Grobe, of Lorain, visited their sister Mrs George Knittle on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Harley Decker and children, Ninabelle and Wanda, of Murray Ridge, spent last Wednesday evening with Harvey Beal and family.

Rev. F Handke called on Walter Fowell and family in Brownhelm on Sunday evening.

Anthony Straneske of Townline Road, called on A. Delefield on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Maurer and son Albert of Elyria, called on her father, Andrew Hess on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spiegelberg and daughter Ruth, of Middle Ridge visited Albert Baus on Sunday afternoon and also called on Mrs. Gertrude Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Friday, of Cleveland, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baus.

Frank McDonald arrived home on Monday after spending the past four weeks with relatives in Rochester, New York.

The many friends of Miss Dorothy Snyder will be pleased to know that she was able to be removed to her home on Monday from Elyria Memorial Hospital and is improving from her recent operation.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Ruth and daughter Rosemary, of Middle Ridge spent Saturday evening with Mr and Mrs. George Knittle.

Mrs G. W. Gottshall, of Steubenville, arrived here on Saturday to spend a week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Eppley.

Edwin Schubert, of Townline Road, called on his uncle, J. P. Bechtel on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chaffe and Mrs. Carrie Snyder, of Norwalk, called on relatives here on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. William Hess spent a few days last week with Mrs. Mary Maurer in Elyria.

Miss Mable Burham, of Cleveland, called on Mrs. Anthony Delefield on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, of Elyria, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Thompson on Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Dramm and son Carl attended the Masonic services at the First Congregational church in Elyria on Sunday

Clayton Springer, of South Amherst, called on Howard Dayton on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grobe and son Robert spent Sunday evening with Benjamin Michael and family on the Levitt road

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Refenning and son, Clyde, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lapp on Sunday afternoon and evenig.

Rev. and Mrs. F Handke and daughter Florence were dinner guests at the home of Edwin Fowell and family on Sunday.

Miss Bernice Fowl is ill with the mumps.

A large number from here attended meeting of the Lorain County Automobile Club in the basement of the Congregational church, in Elyria, on Wednesday evening, December 20th.

Henry Brandt and Miss Emma Balzer, of Amherst, spent Monday evening with Anthony Delefield and family.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Bock, of West Ridge, were given a pleasant surprise on Saturday evening, December 16th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Knittle, it being in form of a miscellaneous shower. The couple received many useful gifts. At a late hour lunch was served. Covers being laid for about thirty guests.

Miss Mable Dehn, of Elyria, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Chas Dehn.

John Springer, of S. Amherst, spent Tuesday with Frank Bechtel and family.

Miss Florence Handke of Cleveland, spent over Sunday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. Handke.

Mrs. Frank Bechtel and son Nelson, Misses Ruth, Bernice and Mariam Fowl, Florence Handke and Helen Stang visited Miss Dorothy Snyder at Elyria Memorial Hospital last Sunday.

Earl Dehn spent a few days last week with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Raist in Lorain.

Miss Corressa Ernst, of Eaton, spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Ernst.

The Evergreen Club members held a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Schwartz in Lorain on Tuesday evening. Those in attendance from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Delefield and daughter Ida and Rev. and Mrs. F. Handke and also Mr. and Mrs. Peter Delefield and family, of North Murray Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Springer of South Amherst called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dayton on Sunday.

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Men's 50c Wool Sox 35c
Men's Fleeced Lined Leather Gauntlet Driving Gloves $2.98
Men's Silk Striped Madras dress Shirts $2.49
Men's $2.00 Mufflers, brushed wool only $1.50
Boy's $1.50 Leather Dress Gloves 98c
Men's $2.50 Silk Pongee Shirts, collar attached $1.98
Men's Paris Arm Bands and Garter Sets, in season's box 50c

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Ladies' all wool black or brown heather mixed hose ..... $1.19 a pair
Ladies' Silk and Wool mixed Hose in brown, blue or black, values to $2.50 a pair ..... $1.69 pr.
Ladies' Silk Fashioned Hose ..... $1.25 & up a pair
Satin Messaline, all colors, 36 inch special ..... $1.59 a yd.
Silk and Wool Canton Crepe, 40 inches wide all colors ..... $2.35 a yd.

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STYLE HEADQUARTERS

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 — The stock market opened irregular today. United States Steel opened 1-4 higher at 106 1-8 while Marine Preferred was 1-2 lower at 45 1-2 National Lead gained 3-4 to 124 3-4 while Utah Copper was 7-8 lower at 63 1-2 Pan American Pete advanced 1-2 to 92 1-2, Studebaker 5-8 at 134 1-4 and California Pete 1-8 at 64. The railroad shares showed small fractional losses.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21. — Wheat prices today opened 1-8 to 1-4 higher, corn 3-8 to 1-2 up and oats 1-4 lower. Provisions were inactive. Opening:

Wheat—Dec., 127 1-2; May 124 1-8@1-4; July, 113 7-8@114.

Corn—Dec., 75 1-4; May, 73 1-2@5-8; July, 73@1-8.

Oats—May 45 7-8@46; July, 43.

OPENING LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Opening liberty bonds:

3 1-2s	$100.60
First 4 1-4s	98.84
Second 4 1-4s	98.22
Third 4 1-4s	98.86
Fourth 4 1-4s	98.62
Victory 4 3-4s, due 1923	100.34
New 4 1-4s	99.86

State Briefs

ORKVILLE, Dec. 21. — The othy mine near here loaded 45 road cars in seven hours. It is largest mine in this vicinity.

RONDALE, Dec. 21.—Mrs. An- M. Hanlin, 57, was fatally injur- n a fall down the cellar steps ner home. She died in a few rs.

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MIDDLE RIDGE

By MRS. B. A. JENNE
Phone Black 257
Amherst

IDDLE RIDGE Dec. 21 — d Tolhurst and Omer Kelly t Thursday in Amherst
rs B. A. Jenne and son, Jos- Burton attended the Ladies Society of the South Amherst E. church Thursday afternoon
enry Kolbe and son, Carl were herst callers Saturday
ndrew Fritch was in Lora'n on ness Thursday.
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rs. Alvin Kolbe and daughter, line are spending several weeks Brownhelm.
r. and Mrs. Andrew Fritch in Elyria Monday.
rs M Dietrick was a Lorain r Monday
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rs Byrd Richmond is confined er home by illness
. Pandy was in Lorain on bus- s Monday.
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has Egert and Henry Rahl in Lorain on business Tues-

rs. B. A. Jenne attended the rla of Mrs Fred Barthlome at mherst Saturday
ard Tolhurst conducted a sale mherst Thursday.
iss Minnie Egert and Elmer t spent Sunday in Lorain
r. and Mrs. John Ludwig were la visitors one day last week.
rs George Eppley was an Ely- visitor Friday
rs Byrd Richmond and Mrs ices Richmond attended the ar and supper at the Congrega- al church in Amherst Wednes-

alter Grobe spent several days past week with his grandpar- , Mr. and Mrs Wm Spiegel-

r. Willis Oberla had the misfortune to fall, spraining his ankle badly last Thursday Mr Oberla will no doubt be confined to the hous feor some time.

Mrs. Tucker and family of Elyria called on Mr. and Mrs Omer Kelly and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Schmitkons and children, Katharine, Paul and Arthur spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Jordan left for Chicago to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Merl Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Kelly and Mrs. Lowry Hurlburt spent Monday in Elyria.

Paul Brill of Lorain was a caller on the Ridge Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Handke of the South Ridge called at W. Bechtel's Thursday.

J H. Ludwig was an Elmore visitor recently.

Charles Yaeger of Akron and B. A. Jenne called on Mr and Mrs. Howard of the Town Line road Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ludwig spent Friday in Cleveland

Mr and Mrs. Peter Springer and Rolland Foster of East Amherst called on F. H. Richmond and family Sunday.

Miss Marian Steele accompanied by Miss Edna Menz of Amherst visited in Oberlin Sunday.

Henry Rahl spent Wednesday evening at K Melton's, Lorain.

Mrs Chas Egert and daughter, Hulda, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rahl spent Friday in Lorain.

Alfred Hostettler of Henrietta is spending several days with Mr and Mrs. Henry Schmitkons.

Mrs. Newton Bechtel, Mrs. Henry Kolbe and son, Melvin and Mrs. Wm Ruth attended the D D club at the home of Mrs Walter Grobe of the South Ridge Saturday.

John, Carl and Oliver Kolbe and Miss Dorothy Sage attended the play the "Wishing Ring" at Amherst Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs Omer Kelly and family were Cleveland visitors recently.

Mr and Mrs. F. Pandy spent Tuesday in Lorain.

Mrs Moses Eppley of the South Ridge recently called on her sister, Mrs Barbara Eschtruth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ludwig and son, Neil and Donald were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. E. C. Schibley of East Amherst Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ruth and daughter, Rosemary attended a shower in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Boch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Knittle of the South Ridge Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Jenne and son, Joseph Burton were Elyria callers Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs Milton Eppley and son, Bruce of the South Ridge called on Mrs. Barbara Eschtruth Sunday

Charles Yaeger was a dinner guest of F. H Richmond Wednesday.

Jacob Sabiers of Amherst called on Henry Rahl Tuesday.

Elmer Egert was an Elyria caller Saturday.

Newton Bechtel was a caller on the S Ridge Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Jenne and sons called on Mr. and Mrs. Omer Kelly Monday evening

L Ernst called at the Chas. Egert home Sunday

Mr. and Mrs E C. Schubert of the Town Line Road and Miss Mary Eppley of Elyria called on Mr. and Mrs. W. Bechtel recently.

Elmer Bischoff was a Lorain caller Tuesday.

Bert Jenne was in Henrietta on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Spiegelberg and daughter, Ruth called on Mrs. Walter Grobe of the South Ridge recently

The Xmas program at the school house will be given Thursday evening Dec. 21. A fine program is to be given by the school consisting of two plyas and a number of songs and recitations. A large crowd is expected to be present.

STAR'S WIFE TELLS OF HIS FIGHT FOR HEALTH RUINED BY "DANGEROUS HABITS"

Wallace Reid and Mrs. Reid, Dorothy Davenport, resting at their home.

Wallace Reid, motion picture star, who was recently reported near death from a nervous breakdown and then influenza, is improving, his wife, known in the film world as Dorothy Davenport, announced recently. In a statement issued with that announcement the star's wife said her husband's breakdown, which came about six weeks ago, was she believed, due to habits "pecullarly dangerous to one of Wallace's high strung temperament." "Wallace always drank to some extent," she said, "and about two years ago began to use drugs. He was very ill at that time but there was a great deal of work at his studio, and he felt he must keep up somehow, and he resorted to the artificial means which have so nearly been his undoing."

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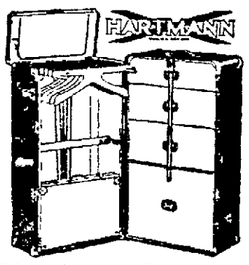

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Silk Shirts	$5.00 to $7.50
Silk Stripe Shirts	$2.35 to $5.00
Madras Shirts	$2.50 to $4.00
Dress Gloves	$2.00 to $4.00
Arabian Mocha	$3.50 to $4.00
Lined Driving Gloves	$2.00 to $7.50
Silk Knit Scarfs	65 to $2.00
No-Wrinkle Silk Scarfs	$1.50, $2.00
Leather Bags	$5.00 to $25.00
Collar Bags	$1.00 to $3.50
Bill Folds	75c to $3.00
Military Brushes	$3.50 to $6.50
Traveling Sets	$6.50 to $8.50
Leather Back Clothes Brushes	$1.25 to $2.50
Initial Belts and Buckles	$1.00 to $3.00
Men's Flannel Pajamas	$2.00, $2.50
Men's Lawn and Madras Pajamas	$2.00 to $5.00
Men's Silk or Wool Mufflers	$1.50 to $3.00
Initial Handkerchiefs	25c, 50c
Fur Caps	$4.00 to $20.00
Warm Winter Caps	$1.50 to $2.50
Slip-Over Sweaters, All Wool	$4.95, $5.95
All Wool Sweater Coats (with collar)	$10.00
All Wool V-neck Coats	$6.00 to $9.00
Boys' Slip-Over Sweaters	$2.50 to $6.00
Boys' VCoat	$5.00
Boys' Warm Caps	$1.00 to $2.00
Boys' Gloves and Mittens	50c to $1.50
Boys' Golf Hose	$1.25
Boxing Gloves	$4.00 to $13.50
Skates	$2.50 to $10.00
Foot Balls	$1.00 to $9.00
Boys' Mackinaws	$8.00
Men's Mackinaws	$10.00 to $20.00
Men's Fancy Wool Hose	75c to $1.50
Men's Silk Hose	75c to $2.00

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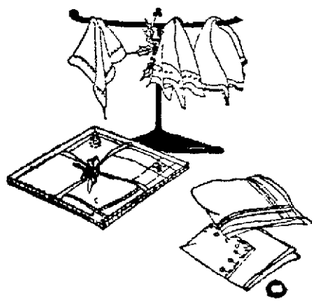
Handkerchiefs, white and colored linen, wide borders, Crepe de Chine, colored and white, hand embroidered 35c, 50c, 59c

Handkerchiefs, linen, beautifully hand- embroidered, some trimmed with hand made lace. 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00

Fancy boxed handkerchiefs, 3 in a box, colored, scalloped edges, fancy borders with white and colored embroidery 75c, 79c, $1.00

Children's Boxed Handkerchiefs, 3 in a box, white and colored embroidery 19, 25, 35, 50, 98c



HOSIERY Ranks Among the Leaders on Holiday Lists

Women's Glove Silk Hose in black and white only. Pair ..... $3.00 and $3.98

Women's full fashioned silk and Wool Hose. Black only. Pair $2.50

Women's Wool and Silk and Wool Hose, ribbed effects in heather mixtures, pair ..... $1.00 to $1.95

"Onyx" full fashioned Silk Hose Pointex heel, black only, pair $3.25

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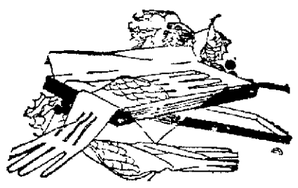

Kid Gloves, White, Brown and Black—16 button. Pair ..... $5.75 and $8.50

French Kid Gloves, black, brown, white, grey, mode, fancy stitching, pair ..... $2.98 and $3.25

Fleece Lined Kid Gauntlet Gloves. Brown. All sizes, pair $2.50

French Kid Gloves, black, brown, white, grey, fancy stitching, pair $4.98

FURS AND FUR COATS Most Appreciated of Gifts

New Fur Chokers, Coney, Oppossum, Fitch, Squirrel, Australian Oppossum $5.00, $8.75, $13.50

FUR COATS, Near Seal, Marmot, Muskrat, 36 to 40 inch length ..... $75.00 to $195.00

Fur Chokers and Scarfs, Fox, Grey Fox, Mink, Kolinsky, Stone Martin $17.50, $65.00

Fur Coats, Lepper, Hudson Seal, Muskrat, Raccoon Collar and Cuffs, 40 inch length. $255.00 to $295.00

A CHARMING GIFT IS A WAIST OR OVERBLOUSE

New Silk Overblouses in Paisley, Satin, Matelesse, All-Over embroidery $5.00, $8.75, $10.00

New Tailored and Fancy Voile and Dimity Waists $2.50, $2.95, $3.75

New Silk Overblouses in the newest colors and styles, all-over embroidery, Paisley, beaded and printed $12.50, $15.00

New Tailored and Fancy Waists, well known Opera and Novia brands $5.00, $7.50

SILK AND PHILIPPINE UNDERGARMENTS Gifts That Will Please Her

Silk Chemise Bodice Top, tailored or lace trimmed Crepe, Radium, Pussy Willow Silks, flesh, white, orchid, Coral $1.95, $3.50, $5.00

Chemisoles of Wash Satin, Flesh, White, Navy, Brown and black 98c, $1.50, $2.25

Silk Gowns in several styles and materials and all the new colors $4.50, $6.00, $7.50

Philippine Gowns in many different patterns, hand made and hand embroidered $2.50, $2.75, $3.50

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OHIO TRAFFIC REGULATIONS UP TO SCHOOLS

COLUMBUS, Dec 21. — That Ohio's traffic evils can best be curbed and auto accidents reduced in number through a campaign of education waged principally in schools and homes, rather than through additional legislation, is the belief voiced by a number of speakers addressing the conference of legal heads of about 40 Ohio municipalities with Attorney General Price in the senate chamber, state house here today

The conference was called to order by Attorney General Price who outlined the purpose of the meeting—that of considering the advisability of unifying traffic ordinances and proposing additional traffic legislation by the state legislature in an effort to curb existing traffic evils.

Responding to invitation of the attorney general, various speakers offered suggestions, after which Attorney General Price announced appointment of the following "central code" committee which is expected to consider the various suggestions and make a report at this afternoon's session of the conference director of law Paul L Lamb, Cleveland, city solicitor Saul Zielonka, Cincinnati; city attorney Charles A Leach, Columbus, director of law H M Hagelbarger, Akron and director of law M D. Detson, Toledo

Suggestions offered included the following by Miss Loraine E Cain, St Bernard, Hamilton county that all drivers be licensed and subjected to an eye test, that a 15 mile speed limit be fixed for congested districts and a 20 mile limit for residential and rural sectons, that a definite period be designated for the use of headlights; that every auto owner be compelled to take out an accident insurance policy to safeguard the interests of pedestrians, that first offenders be fined, that persons guilty of a second violation of traffic regulaions be deprived of heir licenses temporarily, that, for the third offense, the driver's license be revoked, and that the addresses of such persons be sent to proper authorities in other sections of the state in order to prevent such offenders from operating machines elsewhere

Police prosecutor L E Skeel, Cleveland, favored simplification of traffic regulations He urged rigid enforcement of a few rules based upon general principles

He attributed most traffic accidents to carelessness He cited records to show that speeding was responsible for 65 per cent of auto accidents and less than 5 per cent to drunkenness. Prosecutor Skeel said children playing in the streets figured in 25 per cent of the accidents, that 25 per cent were due to inattention to traffic and 5 per cent to "jay walking"

THE GOVERNOR AND FIRST LADY GO A-VISITING, BUT NOT TO A PINK TEA

Gov. Thomas E. Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, garbed for trip into West Virginia mine.

When Gov. Thomas E Campbell of Arizona, one of the leading mining states, sought a little diversion while attending the governors' conference at White Surphur Springs, W Va, recently, he decided on a trip into one of the rival mining state's pits. So he and Mrs Campbell donned mining garb and inspected the Glen White mine at Beckley.

BELLAIRE, Dec 21 —Council failed to pass at second reading an ordinance to issue $14 700 for a new fire truck and a new police patrol This resulted after Councilman O Toole asserted the present patrol probably would have been able to continue service had it not been used for joy rides and hauling booze late at night

BUCYRUS, Dec 21 —The Bucyrus Chamber of Commerce w[illegible] g[illegible] a[illegible] [illegible] the support to the Ohio Rural Letter Carriers State convention to be held at Bucyrus in August 1923

BULLETINS

PROVIDENCE, R I, Dec 21.—James Armstrong, who during a career replete with acts of heroism and daring, saved the lives of more than a score of his fellow men, was today charged with violating the prohibition act

NEW YORK Dec 21 The sea was cheated of its prey today when a wireless picked up from the liner President Garfield stated it was towing the schooner Rosa Ferlita, of 590 tons, to this port The schooner had been given up for lost almost a month ago

SACRAMENTO, Cal, Dec 21 —Twelve Christmas pardons and commutations six of them for prisoners serving sentences for murder, were granted today by Governor William D Stephens

LONDON, Dec 21 — The British foreign office announced today that it has no knowledge of the report that the American government is going to appoint a commission to fix a new basis for reparations payments

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 —The legislative snarl in the senate gave indication today of becoming worse after the Christmas holidays when the upper chamber is expected to plunge into a turmoil of debate on the proposal for another armament conference attached by the house to the ship subsidy bill

ATLANTIC CITY, N J, Dec. 21 The executive board of the national brotherhood of operative potters in business session today went over the strike in the sanitary shops which has been on since November 1 without any sign of yielding on the part of the manufacturers

BELLAIRE Dec 21—Miss Mary Osborne Milltown Canada, has resigned as superintendent of the city hospital Miss Julia Cochran [illegible] succeeds her

LOGAN, Dec 21 —Much of the road work in this section of the [illegible] still being pushed [illegible] the wintry weather. The long open fall season enabled contractors to make much headway with state jobs. The recent cold snap stopped the pouring of concrete in bridge construction, however.

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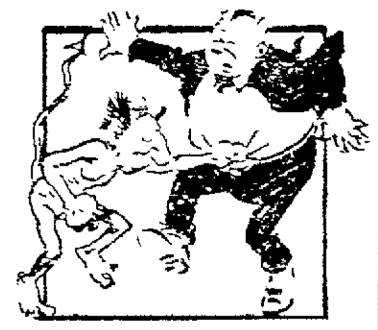

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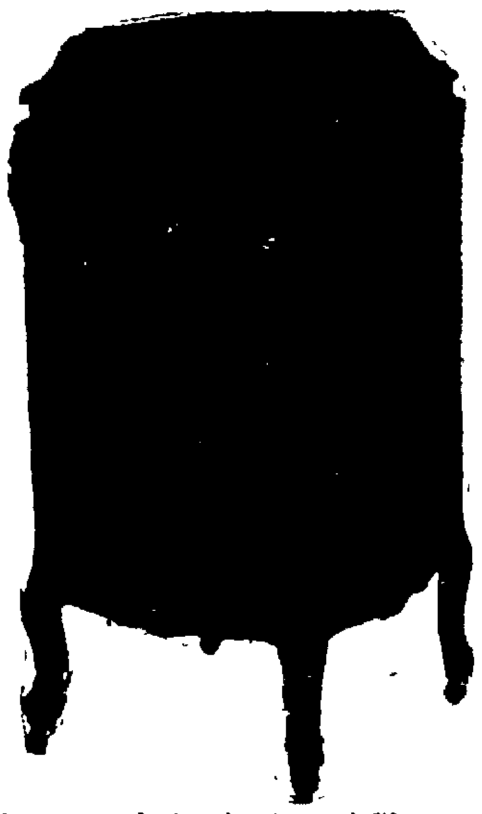

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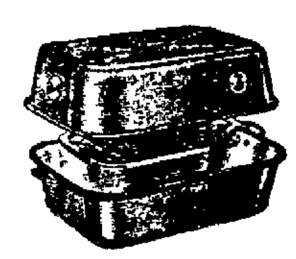

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AMERICAN SHIP DRIFTING IN ATLANTIC

HALIFAX, N. S. Dec. 21.—The United States shipping board steamer, West Hardaway is reported today as drifting helplessly about the Atlantic some five hundred miles east of Halifax. The fuel supply of the ship is exhausted and the temperature in the latitude where she is drifting is below zero. For two days the American steamer Argus tugged at the 6,000 ton hulk in an effort to tow her to port of safety but the heavy seas coupled with the freezing lines snapped all the hausers. The Argus was forced to abandon the helpless ship and proceed to New York. The Hardaway is bound from Grangemouth, England, to New York.

BUCYRUS, Wec. 21.—Edwin S. Lowis of Bucyrus and E. T. Schreiner, of Willard, respectively president and secretary teasurer of the North Central Ohio baseball league this summer, including teams from Marion, New Washington, Shelby, Plymouth, Crestline and Bucyrus, have turned in their accounts of the expense of conducting the business of the league during the summer at an expense of one dollar and fifty cents afte each team. They are now fearful that some of the big league towns will hear of it and requisition their services and methods for conducting the baseball affairs of some of the larger cities where expenses run higher.

LETTERS FOR SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy six years old. I want a hobby horse, a toy machine, and that's all

Alfred Kessler,
1710 Middle Avenue.

Dear Santa—I have been a good girl. Please bring me a new pair of ice skates, a big doll, a pair of warm gloves, a story book and a new sled. Don't forget my sister.

Miriam Shaw,
109 Princeton Ave.

Dear Santa—I am a little girl nine years old. I want a pair of house slippers, and a Christmas tree, and a doll cradle.

Florence Kessler,
1710 Middle Ave.

Dear Santa Claus—I want a doll, and a big buggy, a set of dishes, and a pocket-book with 25 cents in it so I can buy some candy for my brother Dave.

Edith Staats, 111 Huron St.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a drum, a pair of high top shoes, galoshes, and candy. I am a little boy six years old.

Ralph Marsh, 149 Oak St.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a little boy six years old, and I would like a game of checkers, some story books, a pair of boxing gloves, some lights for my electric train, a wagon with disc wheels and rubber tires, three lamp posts and telephone posts for my electric railway, also a tunnel.

Bobby Shurk,
622 Middle Ave.

Dear Santa—I want a sled and a cart, and my little baby brother wnats a little kiddy-car, and Billy wants an auto. Good bye, Santa, I wish you a merry Christmas.

Paul Heber,
810 Woodland Ave.

Dear Santa—I have been a real good boy, and would like a toy Ford Sedan, a horn, some candy and nuts, and anything else you care to give me, but if you bring them that will be enough.

Roland Besing,
266 Prospect St.

RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATION FOR AMHERST POSITION

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Elyria, O., on Jan. 13, 1923 to fill the position of rural carrier at Amherst.

HICKSVILLE, Dec. 21—Through efforts of the chamber of commerce here, a cigar factory will be located in Hicksville by A. G. Wright, of Belmont. A new building is to be constructed, according to present plans, on the site of the old handle factory on East Smith street near the Baltimore and Ohio railroad tracks. Fifty girls will be employed as soon as the structure is completed. Meanwhile, work will be caried on a smaller scale in the building on East Edgerton, formerly occupied by Custar Bros.

Quito, the capital of Ecuador, has no regular water supply. Water-carriers bring the water into the city in jars.

A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION
Give your boy or girl a BABY BOND. It will start them out RIGHT to save and invest systematically. Coupons covering the half-yearly interest will be a pleasant reminder of your generosity.
Issued in $100 and $500 Denom.
C. J. SARTOR, 303 Bank Bldg.
Investment Securities

For Health's Sake EAT Brownie's Bread
Phone your address to 2874 and the driver will stop at your house.
IT COSTS NO MORE
BROWNIE'S BAKERY
NEW CITY MARKET

Lewis' Great "Two Days" Sale of Useful Christmas Gifts Lewis'

AS IS OUR CUSTOM EACH YEAR TO RID OUR STOCK OF ALL HOLIDAY MERCHANDISE SO THAT WE MAY START NEXT SEASON WITH NEW FRESH GOODS, WE WILL OFFER FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY'S SELLING ONLY, ALL DESIRABLE MERCHANDISE SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS AND INCLUDING MANY STAPLE LINES.

A Wonderful Saving of 1-4 to 1-2 Their Original Value

NO GOODS EXCHANGED OR RETURNED THAT ARE BOUGHT AT THESE LOW PRICES

All Ivory Pyrolin
and Demi-Shell Toilet Articles, also sets
25% OFF

— TOYS —
AS IT IS OUR REGULAR CUSTOM NOT TO CARRY TOYS FROM ONE SEASON TO ANOTHER WE WILL SELL EVERY TOY IN OUR STORE AT
25% Off Regular Price
There are toys that are slightly soiled from handling, and we have placed these on tables in our toy department at
½ Off Regular Price
All merchandise marked in plain figures, none reserved. Open Evenings Until Christmas.

NO GOODS BOUGHT AT THESE LOW PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO EXCHANGE OR RETURN.

Women's Knit Underwear
Including many lots of heavy Winter Garments, both for women and children which we want to close out at
½ OFF
This does not include our entire stock.

All Leather Goods
including our entire stock of pocketbooks in Silver, Velvet and Duvetyn at
25% OFF

All Blankets
Including Bath Robes, Indian Blankets and Automobile Robes and Comforts at
25% OFF
REGULAR PRICE

All Toilet Combination Sets
Including Perfume Toilet Water and Powder in fancy boxes at
25% OFF
REGULAR PRICE

OPEN EVENINGS TILL CHRISTMAS. STORE OPEN AT 9:30 IN THE MORNING

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METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS EXERCISES FRIDAY

The children of the Methodist Sunday School will give their Christmas program in the church auditorium on tomorrow evening. The following is the program to be given:

Selection by Sunday school orchestra.
Song, "Joy to the World".
Prayer, by the pastor.
Recitation, Merry Christmas.
Recitation, Glad Tidings.
Song, by Primary Class.
Dialogue, A Christmas Birthday Party.
Dialogue, Telling a Christmas Story.
Offering.
Talk by Reverend Kirby
Canta, The Christmas Pilgrim.
Santa Claus.
Benediction.

MR. AND MRS. KAISER ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF SON'S BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kaiser of Beebe court entertained at a party last evening in honor of their son, Edward's twelfth birthday. Twelve guests were present and spent the evening playing games and music. At a late hour a delicious luncheon was served at a table on which a Christmas tree was the center piece. Other Christmas decorations were used throughout the home.

Master Edward was the recipient of many useful and beautiful gifts.

Those present at the party were: Earl Spinks, Gordon Tite, Walter Vehiber, Mannie Dodley, Arthur Stewart, Frank Keenly, Donald Rockwood, Fred Vehiber, Don Stroup, Boby Jackson, Harry Terrell and Edward Kaiser.

MERRY MAKERS CLUB HOLDS MEETING

The Merry Makers' club held a meeting last evening at the home of Miss Lena Dailey on Broad street. Eleven members were present, Miss Esther Bucholtz being the only guest.

A short business meeting was held, after which games were played. Prizes were awarded the Misses Alta Clark, Tillie Keisler and Dorothy Block.

At a late hour a delicious chicken dinner was served.

The Bailey home had been attractively decorated for the occasion in a color scheme in keeping with the holiday season.

HELPING HAND SOCIETY HOLDS MEETING

The Helping Hand society held a meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs J W. Hardy on Lake avenue. Seventeen members were present. A business meeting was held and Christmas gifts were exchanged. A delicious six o'clock supper was served, many of the members remaining for the evening meeting.

The society will meet again in two weeks with Mrs. Charles Refenning of West Third street.

FIVE HUNDRED CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

The Five Hundred Club was entertained last evening by Mr and Mrs. J J. Cullin of the Mendelson Terrace. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blaser were guests of the club.

Mrs Ed Blaser and Mathew J. McGuire obtained first prizes and Mrs. Clement Henke and A. C Yungklaus secured second prizes. Mrs. A. C. Yungklaus and Joseph Walker were consoled.

The club meets again in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. A. C Yungklaus of Broad street.

ST. CLAIR REBEKAH LODGE MEETS

St. Clair Rebekah lodge held a meeting last evening, and a good attendance was reported. One applicant was elected to membership and five new members were initiated. Baskets of groceries were sent to the unfortunate members of the lodge

A social hour was spent and delicious refreshments were served

MRS. MONROE ENTERTAINS KAR-A-KNOT CLUB

Mrs. Thomas Monroe of Furnace street, entertained the Kar-A-Knot Club on Tuesday afternoon. The members filled three tables at progressive pedro, Mrs. Wm. Hoffman securing first prize, second prize was awarded Mrs. J W Gessner and Mrs. R. B. Rhinehart received third prize The decorations were in keeping with the holiday season and refreshments were served.

MR. AND MRS. UNDERHILL SURPRISED BY FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs F. A. Underhill of Wooster court, were surprised by a few friends, last evening. An enjoyable evening was spent in music, and refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Underhill [illegible] the County jail [illegible] year, when Mr Underhill [illegible] up his duties as sheriff of Lorain County.

CIRCLE NO. 7 OF THE METHODIST CHURCH MEETS

Circle No 7 of the Methodist church held a meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs James Rodgers on Broad street. A [illegible] dinner was served at noon after which a short business session was held. Eleven members and one guest were present.

CIRCLE NO. 1 OF THE METHODIST CHURCH HOLDS MEETING

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist church held a meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. B. Stone on Earl court. Nineteen members were present. A business meeting was held after which a short program consisting of Christmas Carols sang by Mrs B H Long and violin solos by Hiram Stone, was given. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

COURT HOUSE RATS PLAYERS BANQUETED

A banquet was given last evening at Albers Villa by the Court House Rats who entertained their wives and sweethearts, at a delicious dinner after which music and dancing were enjoyed Leon Minch acted as toastmaster and toasts were given by George Falls Ernest Brent and P. A Peterman

Those who were present at the [illegible] Baird Mr and Mrs J W Warden, Mr and Mrs L. H. Weber, Mr and Mrs Ernest Birch, Mr and Mrs Edward Tulk Mr and Mrs L. F. [illegible] and Mr and Mrs P A Peterman the Misses Hear[illegible] Patterson, E[illegible] K[illegible] Grace Haynes, [illegible] Rhodes, and the Messrs. [illegible] George Tulk, L[illegible], Edward K[illegible] and Ja[illegible]

NEIGHBORHOOD CARD CLUB HOLDS MEETING

The Neighborhood Card Club met last evening at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Marsh of Park View court There were three tables at progressive pedro and Mrs Gust Pallas and H Squires secured first prizes Second prizes were awarded Mrs H Squires and Frank Kelling Mrs John Gerhart and Homer Marsh were consoled. A very enjoyable luncheon was served

A watch party will be held on New Years eve at the home of Mrs. John Gerhart on Lodi street.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS AUXILIARY MEETS

The Spanish War Veterans Auxiliary held a meeting last evening, with a very good attendance. Two candidates were initiated and a business meeting was held. Preparations were made for a joint installation to be held in January.

MEETINGS

The Girl Reserves will have a Christmas party tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock

A Christmas play will be given by the Hamilton School Girls under the direction of Miss Meisen, their Advisor.

There will be a Christmas tree and refreshments The mothers of the girls are cordially invited.

The Women's Relief Corps and the Veterans will hold a joint meeting in the G A R hall on Friday afternoon at 2 30 The East Side Circle will entertain

A union meeting of the W C T U. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 30 at the Old Ladies' Home A Christmas program will be rendered in which the old ladies will take part. All donations for the Salvation Army will be collected at this time.

The Boy Scouts will hold their regular meeting Friday evening in the American Legion Hall Paul Andrews, assistant scout master, and Garford Barnes a past scout master will be present Both Mr Andrews and Mr Barnes are very interested in the boys and all scouts will no doubt want to be present Mr Hoffman and Mr Soltz will drill the boys as usual.

CITY BREVITIES

Mr and Mrs J W. Warden and family of Harrison street, will spend Christmas holidays with Mr and Mrs F L Sonnhalter of Cleveland

Mr and Mrs N H Fuller of [illegible] will [illegible] evening to spend Christmas with Mr and Mrs Elmer [illegible] of [illegible] avenue

Mr and Mrs George Campbell of [illegible] will spend the week end [illegible] Mrs. Harry [illegible] Cleveland

Mr and Mrs [illegible] Williams of Willard, O., and Mr and Mrs Joe Lersch [illegible] of Plymouth will spend Christmas with Mr and Mrs. E. E. Williams [illegible]

Mr and Mrs F. W. Wahren and [illegible] spend [illegible] with Mrs W[illegible] mother, Mrs. W. Walters of Johnstown, Pa

Miss [illegible] of Oberlin [illegible] Washington [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. L. P Chase of Columbus street, will be the week end and Christmas guests of Mrs. John Hoover of Findlay

friends at Olmsted Falls, yesterday.

Miss Margaret McMulty of Cleveland comes to Elyria on Saturday to spend Christmas with Mrs. E. J Stankard of Eleventh street. Mrs. Mary Miller and daughter, Margaret of Fourteenth street, will also visit at the Stankard home on Christmas Day

Mrs J Huge of Grace court, was in Cleveland on Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. H. E Irvin of Sixth street. leave Saturday for Kent, where they will spend Christmas with the latter's mother, Mrs. H L Sampsell

Mrs. Edith Taylor of Penfield who is the guest of Miss Flora Penfield of Seventh street, leaves today for Dodge City, Iowa, where she will spend the winter

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of Cleveland, spent Tuesday afternoon and evening with Mr and Mrs. G. Fiedler of the Gray Block.

Mrs. F. A. Adams of Wellington, and Mrs C J. Nichols and daughter, Mrs Irene Oppinger, of Lorain, visited Mrs Margaret Winslow of Harvard avenue, yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Wack of Pulaska, Tenn., and Caroline Wack of Ohio State university, arrive tonight to spend the holidays with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wack, of Third street.

Miss Lillian Damm of West avenue returns from St. Mary's College at Notre Dame, Indiana, for the holidays and will be accompanied by Miss Madeline Harren of Hollywood, California.

Walter Scott, who attends the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, Michigan, will spend the holidays at his home on Cornell avenue

Mr and Mrs. John McBride of Schafer, North Dakota, who have been visiting in Kent, will spend a few days next week with Mr and Mrs H E Irvin of Sixth street.

Harold White of Baldwin Wallace College will spend Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr and Mrs E A. White of West River street

George Block of Concordia, Fort Wayne, Indiana will arrive tomorrow to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs. George Block of Huron street

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Warner of Water street will spend Christmas with the latter's sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Homen of Lorain.

Miss Naomi Washburn of Detroit Michigan will arrive Sunday to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. M. E Washburn of Grant street.

Mr and Mrs. Harry Calvert of Washington Terrace, left this afternoon for Pittsburgh, Pa, where they will spend the holidays with relatives

Jack and Goffrey Gates have returned from Milton School at Boston, Massachusetts, to spend the Christmas vacation with their mother Mrs George Stevens of East avenue

Miss Erma Hyland, supervisor of penmanship, and Miss Margaret Shatfield, supervisor of art in the Elyria public schools, will spend the holidays at their respective homes in Cleveland

Miss Esther Jean Clements, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Clements 216 Chestnut street, leaves Saturday for Cuba, where she will spend the holidays, in connection with the Edgerton Touring Company Miss Clements is supervisor of public school music at Greensboro, North Carolina

Miss Betty Phillips who attends Beechwood school at Jenkintown, Pa, will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr and Mrs. C. W. Phillips of Earl court

Wm A. Siebenlist, 504 Lodi street, has been called to Utica, New York, on account of the serious illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs John T. Burrows and daughter, Miss Ethel Burrows, of Fourth street, have left for Buffalo, New York, where they will spend the holidays.

Frederick Ferguson, of this city, and Walter Hogan, of Duluth, Minnesota, students at Notre Dame University in Indiana, are spending the Christmas vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Ferguson, of Second street.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS—Mrs. Margaret McVey, 116 Fourth street; Mrs Evangeline Nicholl, 222 Cornell avenue.

DISCHARGES—Margaret Louso, Oberlin Home; Mrs. Christen Hintz, R D. No. 2, Spencer; J. E. Riley, 130 Clark street; Byron and Stanley Ellsworth, 25 Gossett street, Ashtabula; Frances Walter, Mineral City.

BIRTHS:—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Seward McVey, 116 Fourth street, a baby boy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Chas. J. Koerber, 35, farmer, and Phoebe Cousins, 22, both of Grafton. Rev. Gibson.

Ralph Champeon, 21, chemist Vermilion, and Dorothy Braithwaite, 18, Oberlin. Rev. Van der Pyl

Orville Hodgkin, 44, Wakeman, farmer, and Margaret McKelvey, 47, Elyria, Rev. Burner.

FAR NORTH AND FAR SOUTH DEMAND THESE SPORTS TOGS

Here are sports togs for the winter vacation which is to be spent in the far north or in the far south. If one plans to skate, toboggan, or hike in the snows of Switzerland or Canada one will want the plaid wool knicker suit in the center, or perhaps the fleece-lined leather suit at the right. If, however, one is to seek the warm ocean breezes of Florida the white knitted suit at the right will be wanted Bright red bands trim the costume in a gay manner.

MRS. RAYMOND NEWCOMB FUNERAL AT GRAFTON

GRAFTON, Dec. 21 — Mrs. Raymond Newcomb 40, of Grafton, formerly Miss Carrie Frombach, Lorain, died suddenly at her home Tuesday afternoon

Besides the husband, one sister, Mrs Ora Rothgary, of Grafton, survives.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Grafton this afternoon at 1 30 Interment was made in the family lot in Elmwood cemetery

TOT DIES FROM BURNS

YOUNGSTOWN O., Dec. 21 — Morris Harshman four, son of Mr and Mrs Benjamin Harshmann, died this morning from burns sustained yesterday when his clothing caught fire from an open gas grate.

St. Clair Rebekah Social Club will hold a Bazaar and Bake Sale in Old Gas office Saturday, Dec. 23.

The Christmas program of the Methodist Sunday School will be given in the auditorium of the church at 7:30 Friday night.

Members of the Ladies' Aux., No. 431, F. O. E., will meet at St. Agnes Church, Sat, at 8:45 a m. to attend the funeral of our Worthy President's husband. (Signed) Rose E. Mahlke, Recording Secy.

In Denmark, to insure good luck for the year the salt-cellar is left on the table throughout the Christmas season.

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Says, Good Books are Good Friends. Why not make a few new ones?

OPEN EVENINGS

"Say It With Flowers"

There is no other gift that carries with it the sentiment and expression as that of the flower.

We have a beautiful display of potted plants at moderate prices.

For Mother or Sister

Poinsettia Plants ...... 50c to $6.00
Begonias (Mellor) .... $2.00 to $3.00
Cylamens .... 75c to $5.00
Preme Roses 50c, 75c
Crotons .... $1.50 to $2.00
Cherry Trees .... 25c to $3.00

"For the Girl"

GIFT BOX SPECIAL

A beautifully arranged box of flowers containing a combination of two of the following:

Roses, Violets, Sweet Peas and Narcissus. Priced from

$4 to $15.00

Baskets, Wreaths, Christmas trees, all at their best.

We deliver in Lorain as well as Elyria.

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West Side Market
Phone 2414

(Note to the men) Come in and see us for that Gift Box for your lady friend.

HAVE YOU TRIED RENOUARD'S HOME-MADE BAKES—ASK YOUR GROCER

RENOUARD'S BAKERY

BEAUTIFUL GIFTS

Everyone knows the pleasure experienced by those who receive gifts made from real Cordova leather; its texture, color, and up-to-date designs make it acceptable to the most fastidious.

We have the only Cordova leather bags and purses for ladies, bill folds card cases, and purses for men, and beautiful hand-tooled leather mats and covers for office or library tables, to be had in Elyria.

We also have a large line of carefully selected pictures, which are sure to please.

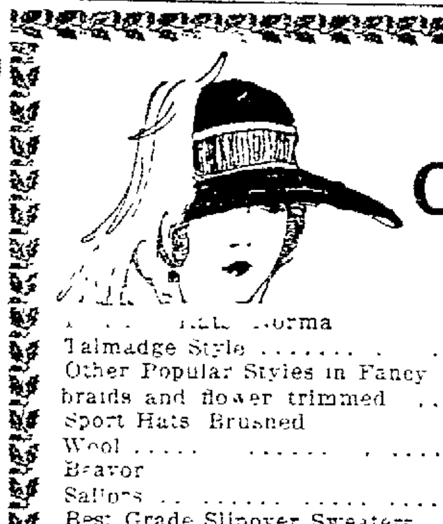
If you are thinking of beads, beaded bags, silver mesh bags, desk sets in the lustrous Roycroft Copper, Brass, Silver or silk, you would do well to look at ours before making your selection.

Only a few more days in which to buy Christmas cards and Candles for Christmas Eve.

THE KENILWORTH GIFT SHOP

230 E. Second Street

RED HOT CHRISTMAS SPECIALS



[illegible] Norma Talmadge Style .... $4.95 to $7.95
Other Popular Styles in Fancy braids and flower trimmed .... $3.95 to $5.95
Sport Hats Brushed
Wool $1.00
Beavor
Sailors $1.95
Best Grade Slipover Sweaters assorted colors $2.49
Fancy
Dolls 95c
Mama
Dolls .... $1.95 to $2.69

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Fancy New York Counts, Baltimore Selects and Standards. We have a full line of Fresh Fish, Smoked, Salt and Pickled Fish Scallops, Shrimp, Salt Mackerel and Finnan Haddie.

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SOME SUGGESTIONS:

All boxed gifts that formerly sold at $1.25 now

$1.00

Boxed Jumping Rope $1.00
10% off on all dolls
Games ranging from 15c to $1.25
Boxed Handkerchiefs 39c
Doll Clothes 50c, 75c

Our hand made furniture is going fast. Have you got yours? Come in and let us help you select for the Baby—he's the most difficult one to buy for.

Kiddie's Klothes Shoppe

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"Spend ye little, none or all, ye are welcome and come call."

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STORE OPEN EVENINGS TILL CHRISTMAS

Plenty of Desirable Merchandise for Gifts To Select From.

TOYS, DOLLS, TRAINS, GAMES, BOOKS, TOY FURNITURE CHAIRS, ROCKERS AND TABLES, GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, TIES, SHIRTS, UMBRELLAS, SWEATERS, SILK AND WOOL HOSE FOR MEN AND WOMEN, CAMISOLES, PAJAMAS, WAISTS, MIDDIES, PURSES AND HUNDREDS OF OTHER USEFUL XMAS ITEMS. EVERYTHING DISPLAYED SO YOU CAN CHOOSE AT A GLANCE.

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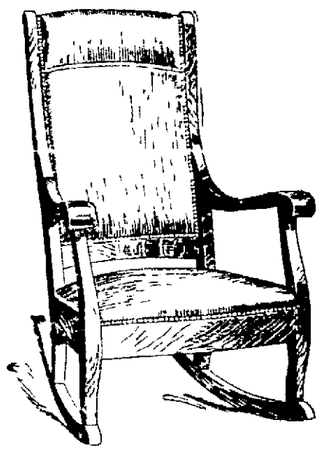
CHRISTMAS GIFT BARGAINS



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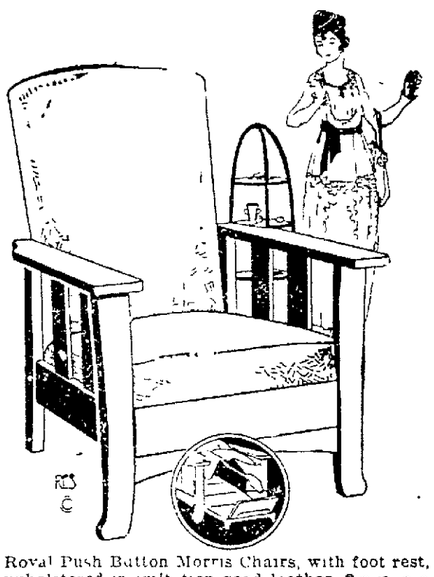
Oak or Mahogany Also Top Seats
$15.00, $20.00, $25.00



Royal Push Button Morris Chairs, with foot rest, upholstered in imitation good leather Xmas Special oak or mahogany *$25.00*

50 Salespeople—Rapid Store Service
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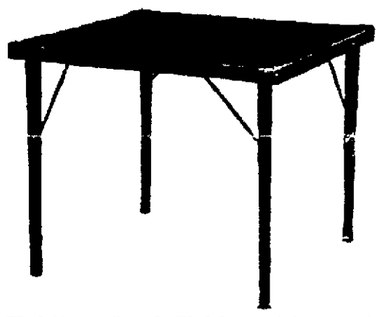
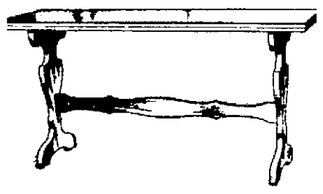
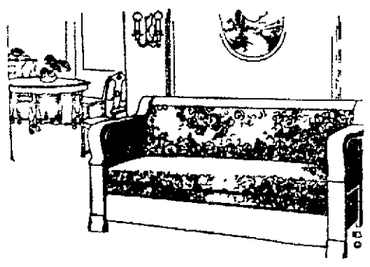


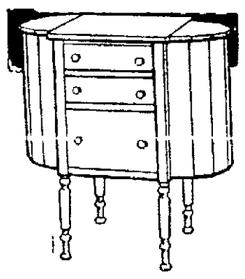
Folding Card Tables (like cut) not the cheap sale kind, but Burrows Bros'. best made Card Tables; mahogany leather tops—
$1.98, $3.50, $6.00



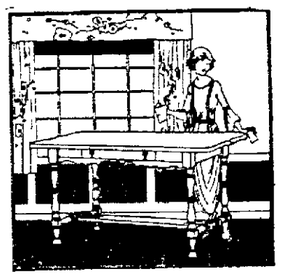
Davenport Table (like cut) Mahogany finish **$20.00**
Other Tables up to **$50.00**



Bed Davenports, Oak or Mahogany Bed Davenports **$45.00**



Martha Washington Sewing Cabinet, Mahogany finish, each **$12.50**



Library Tables, Oak or Mahogany $10.00, $12.50, $15.00, $20.00, $25.00, $35.00, $40.00, $50.00 each

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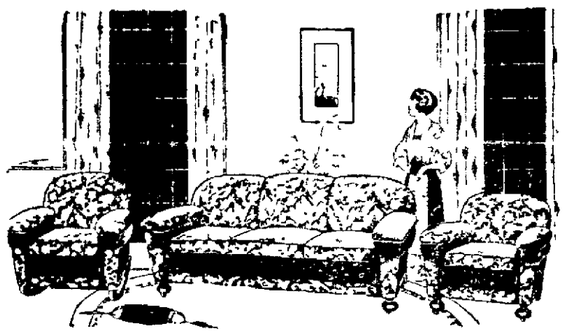

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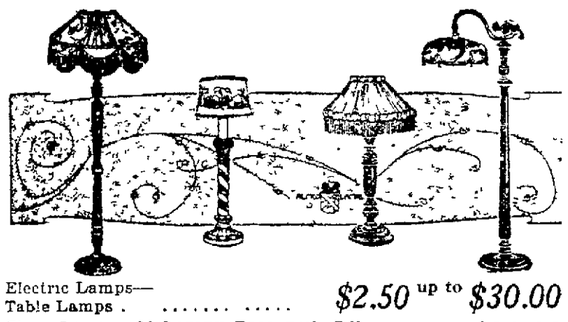
3-piece Tapestry Overstuffed Living Room Suite *$148.00*
3-piece Mahogany Frame Cane Living Room Suite, Pillows and Bolster, Upholstered in Taupe Velour *$98.00*
5-piece Living Room Suite upholstered in Taupe Velour Consists of Davenport, Chair, Rocker, Bench Stool Mahogany Davenport, Table Scarf for Table 5 pieces and scarf, complete *$198.00*



Electric Lamps—
Table Lamps ..... *$2.50 up to $30.00*
Floor Lamps—Mahogany Base with Silk Shade, 26 inch, complete *$20.00*
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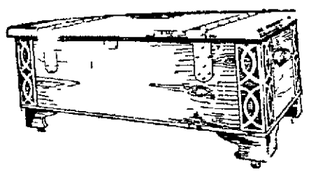
Parchment Shade—complete *$10.00*

Christmas Umbrellas $1.50 to $10.00



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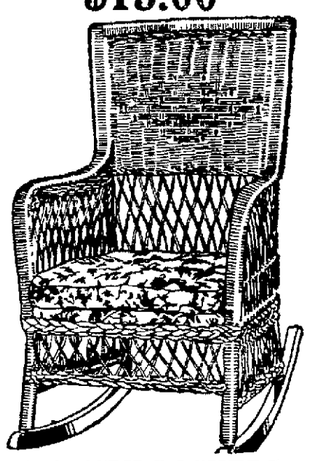

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Household Vac ..... $ 9.00
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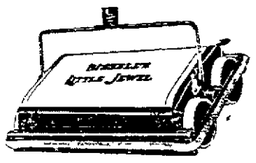

CHILD'S SWEEPERS
Little Daisy Sweeper 25c
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Little Jewell $1.50
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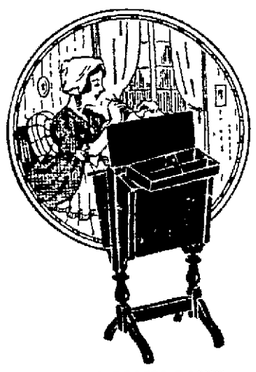

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$1.75 27x54" Tapestry Rugs $1.00

ALUMINUM WARE
$1.50 Aluminum Rice Boilers $1.00

CASSEROLES
Brown Casseroles with Nickel Stand $1.00

HOBBY HORSE
$3.00 single Rocking Hobby Horse $1.00

PIANOS
$1.50 Mahogany finish Toy Pianos 98c

DOLLS
Imported Dressed Dolls 25c

LAMP FRAMES
Electric Lamp Wire Shade Frames 25c to $2

ALUMINUM WARE
$1.50 Aluminum Dish Pans $1.00

HAMMOCKS
$3.50 Doll Hammocks with stand ..$1.75

ORNAMENTS
String of Balls ... 2c
Small Ornaments 2 for 5c
Medium Ornaments 5c
Large Ornaments 10c

DOLLS
Imported Dress Dolls 24c

SHOO-FLYS
$1.00 Double Horse Rocking Shoo-Flys 50c

KIDDY CARS
4 in one adjustable Kiddy Cars $2.98

WHEEL BARROW
Ford All Metal Wheel Barrow 39c

RUGS
$5.00 27x54 Axminster Rugs $3.48

TABLES
$3.50 Red Tables with Drawer $1.98

GAMES
$1.00 Wm. Field Ouija Boards 48c

GAMES
Put-Put Indoor Golf Games $2.98

ALUMINUM WARE
$2.50 Aluminum Oval Roasters $1.48

TABLES
$1.50 Child's Red Tables ..... .98c

ROASTERS
$3.00 Brown and White Oval Roasters ...$1.98

BLANKETS
Full size grey bed Blankets, pair $2.69

ALUMINUM WARE
$1.50 3-piece Aluminum Sauce Pan Sets ..$1.00

HOBBY HORSE
$9.00 Single Rocking Hobby Horse $5.00

HAMMOCKS
$2.50 Doll Hammocks, with stand $1.25

ALUMINUM WARE
$1.50 Aluminum Round Roasters $1.00

STEAMERS
$3.00 Brown and White Round Steam Cookers $1.98

TEA KETTLES
$2.00 Aluminum Tea Kettles $1.00

CASSEROLES
$2.50 Brown Aluminum Casserole with stand $1.43

ALUMINUM WARE
$1.50 8-quart Aluminum Cover Kettles ...$1.00

TEA POTS
Black Earthenware Tea Pots $1.00

HOT PLATE
Warranted Electric Hot Plates $1.98

COMFORTS
$8.00 Cotton Comforts, Cretonne covered $3.98

TABLES
75c Child's Red Tables 48c

SAD IRONS
Warranted Electric Sad Irons $4.98

WHEEL BARROWS
25c Toy Metal Wheel Barrows 19c

DRUMS
$1.00 combination children's Drums 50c

DOLLS
Imported Dressed Dolls 98c

GUNS
$3.75 Gilbert Machine Guns $1.00

CANNONS
$4.00 Cast Iron Toy Cannons $1.00

KIDDY CARS
$4.00 Airplane Kiddy Cars $1.98

SHOVELS
Children's Toy Snow Shovels 15c

BROOMS
Children's Toy Brooms 15c

DOLL CART
Dark green English Perambulator Doll Carts $1.98

GAMES
$1.75 Wm. Field Ouija Boards. 98c

SEWING BASKETS
Fancy Imported Sewing Baskets ...35c to $3.00

KIDDY CARS
$6.50 Airplane Kiddy Cars $2.98

TOY SETS
$2.50 Aluminum Toy Sets $1.00

BOWLS
$1.50 Glass Mixing Bowl Sets $1.00

WATCHES
$2.00 Boys' Gilt Watches $1.48

BOATS
65c Mechanical Toy Boats 35c

WHEEL TOYS
$6.00 Gilbert Wheel Toys $2.98

TOYS
35c Celluloid Dolls and Toys 10c

TOY SETS
$1.00 Aluminum Toy Sets 50c

ALUMINUM WARE
$2.00 6-cup Aluminum Coffee Percolators $1.00

BOATS
$1.25 Mechanical Toy Boats ..... .50c

WHEEL TOYS
$10.00 Gilbert Wheel Toys $4.98

CHIMES
65c Children's Roller Chimes 25c

TRUNKS
$6.00 extra large Doll Trunks $3.98

CUT GLASS
$1.00 Cut Glass Assortment 50c

CHAIRS
75c Children's Red Chairs 39c

GLASSWARE
Opalescent and Iris Ice Glassware .25c to $1.00

BASKETS
10-inch Decorated Sewing Baskets $1.48

BASKETS
12-inch Imported Sewing Baskets $1.98

PLATES
50c Studio Hand Painted Plates .. .. .29c

BLANKETS
30"x40" Pink or Blue Baby Crib Blankets 79c

CHIMES
85c Children's Roller Chimes 35c

POST CARDS
Xmas and New Years Cards 10c doz., 5, 10, 15c each.

BOOKS
20c children's books 10c
40c children's books 25c
Other books up to $1.50

CUT GLASS
$1.50 Cut Glass Assortment $1.00

DISHES
$2.00 Imported China Dishes $1.00

BASKETS
8-inch fancy Imported Sewing Baskets .98c

CUT GLASS
$3.00 Cut Glass Assortment ... $1.98

BLOCKS
65c A. B. C Blocks ..48c
35c A. B. C blocks 25c

LUNCH KITS
$1.75 Metal Lunch Boxes $1.00

RUGS
$75.00 9x12 Best Axminster Rugs ...$49.75

RUGS
$7.50 27"x54" Wilton Velvet Rugs $4.98

TRUNKS
$15.00 Children's Wardrobe Trunks $8.98

DINNERWARE
Dinner Sets—
$3.98 Set and up

CUT GLASS
50c Cut Glass Assortment 25c

ROCKERS
$1.50 Children's Oak Rockers 75c

BASKETS
7-inch Japan Fancy Sewing Baskets ...48c

PLATES
75c Studio Hand Painted Plates 39c

ALARM CLOCKS
$1.50 Nickel Plated Alarm Clocks .. $1.00

THERMOS BOTTLES
Imported Thermos Bottles $1.00

RUGS
$50.00 9x12 Axminster Rugs $34.75

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Red Xmas Wreaths 10c, 15c, 25c and up to $5.00

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ARBUCKLE FILM MAY BE BANNED IN THIS STATE

COLUMBUS Dec 21 - Ohio movie fans probably won't know for some time whether they will get to see Fatty Arbuckle films.

State director of education Riegel, head of the state motion picture censorship department stated that the question of whether the Arbuckle pictures will be permitted to be exhibited in Ohio will not be decided until the films are submitted to the state censors. It is not expected that the pictures will be brought into Ohio soon.

... less than $20 000 000 be appropriated annually by the state for good roads is the recommendation made here this afternoon by W. A. Alsdor executive secretary submitting his annual report at the meeting of the Ohio good roads federation.

TOLEDO Dec 21 —John Marzino ... old Toledo police today that he knows who killed William Desmond Taylor noted film director in Los Angeles and that because of this knowledge he was hounded out of Hollywood and is being followed by members of the gang.

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THIS ISN'T A REEL KISS BUT A REAL ONE BY REAL ACTORS IN REAL LIFE WEDDING

John C. Howard and his bride, Ora Carew, in their first post-nuptial kiss.

Another Hollywood scandal? Warm pippes! Oh my lo! This is perfectly all right. Because the two kissing b gs John C. Howard and the film beauty, Ora Carew, are in the midst of their first post-nuptial kiss. They were married recently in Los Angeles after Howard had outdistanced two competitors in the race for Miss Carew's heart.

British Titled Women Divorced

LONDON Dec 21 Lady Frazer was today granted a divorce from Sir John Foster Frazer, noted journalist and traveler, on charges of misconduct.

Viscountess Rhondda was also granted decree of divorce from ... Humphrey ... on charges of miscon duct.

BRIDGEPORT Dec 21 — A jury ... hours in a local ... which damages were sought as a result of an auto collision. The jury agreed that each owner should ... of repairing his own car. Then in the same spirit the jurors refused to accept fees for their services.

LIMA Dec 21 —The estate of ... slain by blackhand ... recently in the grocery store of his son-in-law, Alexander George No 402 N Pine street, is valued at $1 435 36 according to documents filed in probate court.

Theaters

COLONIAL The "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" the Rex Ingram production that cost $1 000 000 to make is now to be seen at the Colonial opening today. This picture shows the great plains of Argentine with its enormous herds ... the Buenos Ayers dance ... with its swirl of smoke and ... vice the Parisian tango palace the fevered rush of the mobilization scenes at the outbreak of war the endless mass of German ... pouring towards Paris the bombardment, and many other ... scenes. There are fifty principals and 2 500 extras in this production.

GRAND One Arabian Night ... picture. It was mid... at Bagdad, the famous city of the Orient. Suddenly there is commotion in the streets. The figure of a girl running with the speed of a gazelle appears. She is garbed as a dancer of the desert. Behind ... panting with exertion came a ... in royal raiment. It is the son of the mighty sheik. As they disappear, comes Achmet the slave dealer. It is a great picture and is full of action.

AMERICAN "Remembrance" continues to please the public at this theatre. It is so true to life in a small town that every one can understand what is taking place. The snobbish family of "Pop" the father worries the old man into a nervous breakdown, and then the family realize what they have done and they tenderly care for him until he is restored to them.

LOGAN Dec 21 —Discover ... still cleverly concealed with brush while they were hunting rabbits back in the Hocking county hills, dry officers waited in the cold for 24 hours before George Lucas arrived. The officers say that Lucas fired at them once and they had to subdue him with ... head. He is held on $2000 bond as it is his third offense.

HAMDEN, Dec 21 — Ottie Ramsey, 45, of Wellston, was shot in the hip by his brother-in-law, Dan Jenkins, while hunting near here. The wound was so high up in the ... that it was impossible to stop the flow of blood with a bandage, and before Ramsey could be gotten to a doctor he bled to death.

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HOPE ABANDONED FOR ARMY FLIER, LOST FOR DAYS

Lieut Charles L. Webber.

Comrades of Lieut. Charles L. Webber have about given up hope of finding the flier who, with Col Francis C. Marshal, left Rockwell Field for Fort Huachuca, Ariz., and mysteriously disappeared en route. Search by twenty-seven planes failed to reveal any trace of the missing men.

STATE BRIEFS

BUCYRUS Dec 21 —The Bucyrus High school football team made a gross profit of $625 on the season ... expenses. Out of this sum 15 ... were purchased ... a net profit of approximately $225.

MORRISTOWN Dec 21 —Since the local gas rate was increased to 90 cents a thousand the company has put in a new regulator and there ... that the gas supply ... Before the rate was doubled the supply was poor.

MCARTHUR Dec 21 —The meanest thief to operate in Vinton county broke into the smoke house of Hollis Reamy near here and stole nearly a winter's supply of meat in the ... smoked hams and everything.

LIMA Dec 21 — Cigarette fiends are ... to be responsible for ... the J. M. Sealts wholesale grocery ... More ... taken from the ... No other goods were ... loot ... $50.

PRESIDENT SEEKS ENVOY'S ADVICE ON EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

Ambassador George Harvey

Ambassador George Harvey, U S envoy to England, is preparing to return at the request of President Harding. It is believed that Harding is seeking first-hand information on conditions in Europe.

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Also "FUN FROM THE PRESS" and PATHE REVIEW

KER TESTIFIES IN WAR CONTRACT PROBE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—New-D. Baker, secretary of war in Wilson administration, was a ness here today before the spe- grand jury that is investigat- war contract frauds.

While the nature of Baker's tes- ony was not divulged, it is lerstood he appeared in refer- e to the alleged frauds against government in construction of army cantonments, contracts which were let under his di- tion.

ATHENS, Dec. 21.—Y. W. girls hard at work at Ohio university h their winter program of so- service work in the mining ps of Athens county. They e set aside more money this r for continuation of Sunday ools, mothers' clubs and social ters in the little mining towns.

BROWNHELM

Mrs. R. W. Bechtel
Telephone Black 15

BROWNHELM, Dec. 21.—Reuben Miller is in Chicago for the purpose of buying cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holstein are the proud parents of a baby girl born Sunday, Dec. 17th.

Miss Elsie Brechmacher of Michigan, is expected home Saturday to spend the holiday vacation.

Schools here will close Friday for a vacation of one week.

The Boys and Girls basketball teams of the high school took part in the County tournament of the Rural Basket ball teams, held at Oberlin. Saturday afternoon. Brownhelm, Avon, Kipton, Grafton and South Amherst formed Class A. Brownhelm boys were defeated 10-6 by Avon, and the Brownhelm Girls' team was defeatedfeated 6-0 by the Avon Girls' team. Because of the delay the completion of the gymnasium it was the first game of the season for the teams. Those attending from here were, H. G. Denius, and Misses Leta Jump and Hazel Thompson, Marian Sage, Emelia Bartlome, Charlotte Cooper, Margaret Lenszler, Elsie and Helen McQueen; and Frederick Snaacks, Harry Stick, Donald Lindsley, Walter Fried and Harry and John Meyers.

Mrs. Louise Sick and Miss Louise Perry returned Monday from Cleveland where for the past week have been visiting Rev. L. Sieth and family and other friends.

The Missionary society of the Congregational church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. G. Lesher, who will have charge of the program.

Mrs. Stumpp of Vermilion, is visiting at the home of her son John Herkler and family.

The annual meeting of the church and society of the Congregational church will be held at the church parlors on the evening of December 31st.

Fred McQueen left for Bradentown, Fla., last week, where he will spend the winter.

The High school basketball teams will play the Birmingham High school teams here at the school gymnasium, Friday evening.

A large audience greeted Prof. Kemper Fullerton of Oberlin, who spoke at the Congregational church Sunday evening, and his address on "The Treaty of Versailles and the Ethics of the Great War," was much appreciated. The Brownhelm band provided the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Whittlesey and Mrs. Neuton Holstein spent Tuesday in Elyria.

Misses Geo. Zilch, John Miller and R. W. Bechtel of the Board of Education, attended the county meeting of the Board of Education held at Elyria, Saturday.

Miss Lillian Ladrach of Kent Normal school, is spending the vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ladrach.

CONVENT NOVICE HELD IN POISONED CANDY KILLING CASE

Above. Mrs. Frank Schneider. Below. Miss Anna Lenz.

Miss Anna Lenz, thirty, formerly a novice in a convent, is being held in connection with the death of Mrs. Frank Schneider, Jericho, Wis., who died after eating poison-candy, Miss Lenz is said to have confessed that she sent the candy intending it for Mrs. Henry Schneider, a sister-in-law of the dead woman.

NEWS FROM ABOUT the STATE

LIMA, Dec. 21.—Patrolmen William F. Keller and Boyd K. Watkins have been cited to appear in federal court in Toledo to answer to shooting purple martens—song girds—contrary to law.

MIDDLEPORT, Dec. 21.—Hettie Smith, trained nurse who died here several months ago, left about $5,000 to her brother, Ed, who cannot be found. He is the only heir and lives somewhere in the far west.

MARTINS FERRY, Dec. 21.—Christmas vacation in the public schools will extend from December 22 to January 9. The long period is due to a desire to save coal, although the town is in the center of the coal belt.

LISBON, Dec. 21.—Conrad Berg, of Leetonia, commissioner-elect of Columbiana county, was a spectator at last week's meeting of the county commissioners, to "watch how it's done." Berg brought with him a bag of pretzels.

DEFIANCE, Dec. 21.—As the result of the generosity of an unknown individual who mailed the trustees $50, the parsonage of St. Paul's M. E. church here has been fitted with metal weather strips at all windows and doors. The contribution was in currency and accompanied by instructions as to how it was to be used.

LIMA, Dec. 21.—Impressed by the reception accorded by citizens, following turning on of the boulevard lighting system, other business men may be moved to donate funds to carry the lights through January.

MARTINS FERRY, Dec. 21.—Sherman Scheehle has filed damage suits totaling $40,000 against the Whitaker-Glessner company because of the death of his wife, Pearl Scheehle, 35, and injury of his son, Donald, 10, when their horse became frightened and ran away while crossing a pipe line laid by the company from one of its gas wells to its local steel plant. The pipe line was being used for pumping out the well and in addition to being above the ground was vibrating, frightening the horse. Mrs. Scheehle's neck was broken.

GLOUSTER, Dec. 21. — John Moody, who was arrested several days ago on a non-support charge made by his wife, suicided by drinking poison on the church steps at Trimble. Moody was in jail three days and then promised to go to work and support his family. After one day in the mine near here, he ended his life.

MC CONNELSVILLE, Dec. 21.—Miss Alice Lighthizer was injured seriously while her niece, Ruth Lighthizer, escaped with bruises when their horse became frightened at a tar truck being used on the new Barnesville road and ran away. The buggy was thrown over an embankment.

POMEROY, Dec. 21. — Meigs county jurors refused to accept the work of a bloodhound in sending a man to the penitentiary. Clarence Fish, arrested and indicted for robbery in connection with the burglary of the Beegle Brothers store here, was acquitted in common pleas court. His arrest followed the work of the hounds in running a trail to his home where part of the stolen money was found in his cellar.

MIDDLEPORT, Dec. 21.—Dr. L. G. Gibble and H. B. Smith, druggist, have been distributing venison among their friends here. They are just home from their annual hunt in Canada and this year got a deer apiece. In their party of eight men, six deer were killed.

BETHESDA, Dec. 21.—George Walters fell dead while chatting with William Laws in the latter's shoeshop. He had complained of feeling ill while at his work in a cigar factory a short time before.

BRIDGEPORT, Dec. 21.—Misses Frances Valentine and Mary L. Obernauer, federal investigators, are probing living conditions among Eastern Ohio miners. It is expected their report will go to the federal coal commission, recently appointed by President Harding.

DEFIANCE, Dec. 21.—Increased business had led R. C. Albertus, manager of the Defiance Ford sales and service station, to plan a two-story addition, 44x81 feet. He has asked the city to vacate a 21x 66 foot section at the end of Fort street to accommodate part of the tructure.

TILTONVILLE, Dec. 21.—James Aiken, local member of the W. & J. team, is reported to have received an offer to coach McKinley High of Canton next season. He received his preliminary football education at Martins Ferry High.

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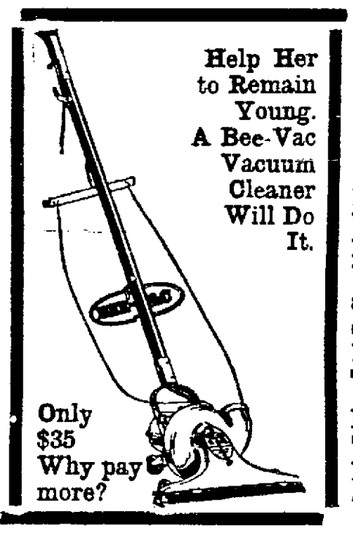

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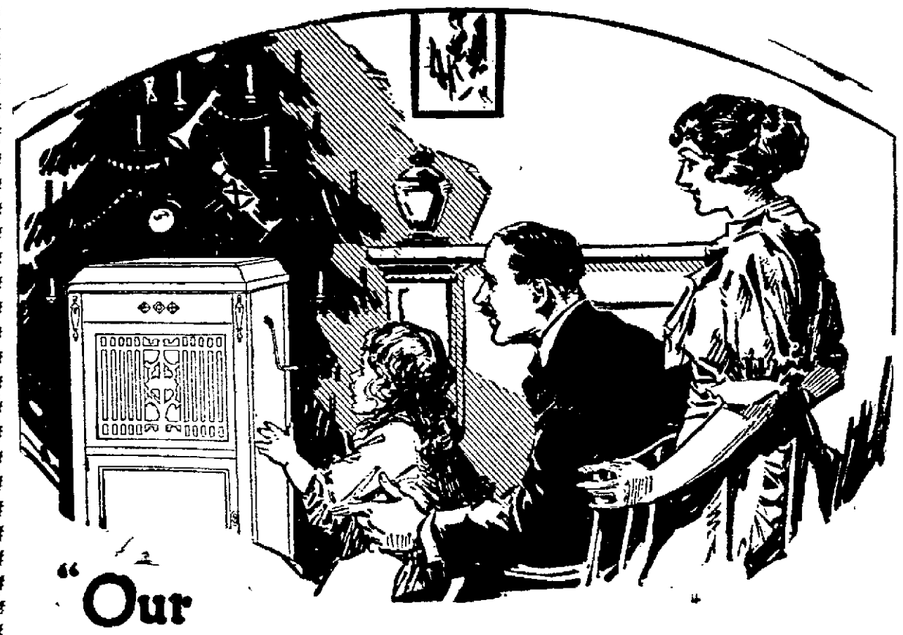

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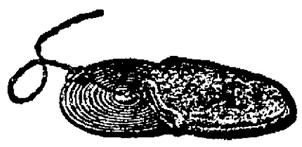

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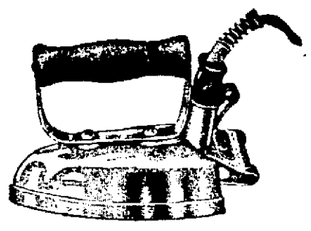

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